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Wednesday, May 28th, 1873, 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

The Fifteenth General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America convened at the above time and place. After sermon by Rev. J. S. Easton, D. D., the retiring Moderator, on Psalm lxxii: 17, "His name shall endure: His name shall be continued as long as the sun," the Assembly was by him constituted with prayer. Adjourned to meet to-morrow at 9 o'clock, A. M. Closed with prayer by Rev. W. W. Barr.

THURSDAY.

May 29th, 9 o'clock, A. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by the Moderator. The Committee on Credentials reported the following roll, which was called:

Presbyteries.	Ministers.	Elders.
Albany	David Anderson	John Templeton.
Allegheny	Wm. G. Reed	Thomas Wakeham.*
	Joseph Timmons	John S. Robertson.
	James A. Brandon	Thomas Galbraith, M. D.
Argyle	George Mairs*	Nicholas Robertson.
	Henry Gordon	A. S. Foster.
	W. A. McKenzie	John Gourley.
Beaver Valley	Hugh Sturgeon	Joseph Kissick.*
	J. C. Evans	J. P. Cowden.
	John Patterson	J. C. Wilson.*

* Not present at the Assembly.

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	R. G. Ferguson	John Webster.
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Boston	J. R. Kyle	Samuel F. English.*
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	S. C. Reid	Thomas Moore.*
	Samuel Kerr	Wm. Pardoe.
Caledonia	D. F. Bonner	Thomas Lisle.
	R. G. Campbell	John F. McKercher.
Cedar Rapids	J. H. Turnbull	R. Martin.
Chartiers	Thomas Balph	Aaron Welsh.
	W. A. McConnell	J. Little.
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Kansas	J. C. Herron	J. E. Martin.
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Michigan	J. N. Buchanan	J. C. McKercher.
Minnesota	D. F. Reid.	

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General Synod of the Reformed Church in America.....Rev. Edward A. Collier.

General Synod of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.....Rev. Robert M. Patterson, Rev. E. R. Beadle, D. D., George Junkin, Esq.

Synod of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland.....Rev. John Eadie, D. D., LL.D., Rev. H. Calderwood, LL.D.

Associate Reformed Synod of the South...Rev. D. F. Hadden.

Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces of British North America.....Rev. George Patterson, Rev. James Bennett.

Evangelical Church of the Waldenses.....Rev. Matteo Prochet.

Free Christian Church of Italy.....Rev. John B. Thompson, D. D.

Minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Proceeded to the election of a Moderator. Rev. J. Y. Scouller was elected and took the chair.

A memorial of the Synod of Illinois, on the transfer of the Presbytery of Minnesota was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

A memorial of the Synod of Iowa on a Sustentation Fund was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

A memorial of the Presbytery of Le Claire, on a general Delegate Fund, was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

A memorial of the Presbytery of Tennessee, on establishing a Normal School for the Freedmen, was presented and referred to the Committee on Freedmen's Missions.

A memorial, signed S. S. Smucher, on the union of all the Evangelical Churches, by confederation, was presented and referred to a special committee, consisting of the following persons, namely: Drs. Dales, Kerr and McMasters, the Rev. J. P. Lytle and Mr. Wm. Getty.

The report ot the Trustees of the General Assembly was presented and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The reports of the Boards of Freedmen's Missions, Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Church Extension, and Publication were presented and referred to their appropriate committees.

The report of the Treasurer of the Board of Church Extension and of the Agent of the Church Building Fund, of the Treasurer of the Freedmen's Mission, of the Board of Publication, and of the Treasurer of the Board of Foreign Missions, were referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Second Clerk reported that statistical tables have been received from all the Presbyteries except Brookville, Butler, 2d New York and Philadelphia, and that the reports have been prepared with unusual care. The statistical reports and papers were referred to the Committee on Statistics.

The hours of meeting were appointed for 9 A. M., 2 and 7:30 P. M., and of adjournment, at 12:30 P. M., 5 P. M. and 9:30 P. M.

An invitation was received from the Secretary of the American Sunday School Union, to visit their rooms, and offering such of these rooms as we may find it convenient. The invitation was accepted with the thanks of the Assembly.

The reception of delegates from other churches was made the order of the day for 10:30 A. M. on Saturday, and 10:30 A. M. on Monday.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. F. Church.

2 o'clock, P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by the Moderator. Minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The committee appointed by the last Assembly on the expenses of Commissioners and ratio of representation, made a report which was put on the docket.

The Committee of last Assembly on the Support of the Gospel made a report, which, with accompanying papers, was put on the docket.

The Board of Education made a report, which, with a letter from Rev. G. D. Henderson, was referred to the Committee on Education. The Treasurer's report of said Board was referred to the Committee on Finance.

A memorial of the Presbytery of West Missouri, on the establishing of a General Delegate Fund, was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

A memorial from the Presbytery of Philadelphia, on the establishing of a Sustentation Fund, was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

The report of Rev. S. F. Morrow, D. D., delegate to the General Synod of the Reformed Church in America; of Rev. J. P. Robb, as delegate to the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces of North America; of Rev. James Harper, D. D., delegate to the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church; of Rev. J. P. Scott, delegate to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, and also to the Canada Presbyterian Church, were presented. The conduct of these delegates was approved and their reports referred to the Committee on Correspondence.

The Permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools, presented a report which was put on the docket and made the order of the day for Friday at 7:30 P. M.

The minutes of the Synod of Illinois, of Iowa, of the First Synod of the West, of Pittsburgh and of New York, were respectively referred to the Committee on Revision.

Credentials of delegates to this Assembly, of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces of British North

America, of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in America, of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, and of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South, were respectively presented and referred to the Committee on Correspondence.

The Assembly agreed that the first half-hour of the forenoon session of to-morrow be spent in devotional exercises.

The Assembly proceeded to appoint Financial Agents and Superintendents of Missions. The following persons were appointed:

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S. M., Rev. John Anderson, Martin, Mich.
Minnesota.....F. A., and S. M., Rev. J. T. Tate, Lake City, Minn.
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Muskingum.....F. A., Rev. W. H. McFarland, Cambridge, Ohio.
S. M., Rev. James C. Murch, New Concord, Ohio.
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S. M., Rev. J. C. Taggart, East Liverpool, Ohio.
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Tennessee.....F. A. and S. M., Rev. A. B. Coleman, Fayetteville, Tenn.
Vermont.....F. A. and S. M., Rev. J. Service, Barnet Centre, Vermont.
Wabash.....F. A., John Ogden, Esq., Bluffton, Ind.
S. M., Rev. Gilbert Small, Idaville, Ind.
West Missouri...F. A. and S. M., Rev. J. K. Martin, Kansas City, Mo.
Westmoreland...F. A., Rev. A. H. Elder, McKeesport, Pa.
S. M., Rev. S. B. McBride, Parnasus, Pa.
Wheeling.....F. A., Rev. J. T. McClure, Wheeling, West Va.
S. M., Rev. W. T. Meloy, Cadiz, Ohio.
Wisconsin.....F. A. and S. M., Rev. J. H. Niblock, Oshkosh, Wis.
Xenia.....F. A., J. B. Caruthers, Esq., Xenia, O.
S. M., Rev. J. G. Carson, Xenia, O.

A memorial from the Presbytery of Missouri, on a Sustentation Fund, was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

The subject of Foreign Missions was made the order of the day for this evening at 7:30.

The subjects of Home Missions and Church Extension were made the order of the day for Monday evening.

An invitation from some gentlemen in Philadelphia, in connection with the U. P. Church, to an excursion and entertainment in the Park on Saturday, at 2:30 P. M., was given to the Assembly. The invitation was cordially accepted with the thanks of the Assembly.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Dr. Ralston.

7:30 P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. R. G. Ferguson. In the absence of the Moderator, Rev. J. C. Steele was called by the

Assembly to take the chair. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

Proceeded to the order of the day, namely: the consideration of the subject of Foreign Missions. The Assembly was addressed at length by Rev. James S. Barr, Missionary to Northern India. After an earnest discussion, the following resolution, offered by Rev. W. S. Owens, was adopted by the Assembly, namely:

Resolved, That we, in General Assembly, have heard, with deep interest, the address of our honored Missionary to India, Rev. J. S. Barr, and we do hereby assure him of our warmest sympathy with him and his fellow laborers in their work for Christ, and His Church in India.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. James McNeal.

FRIDAY.

May 30, 9 o'clock, A. M.

Assembly met. After the calling of the roll the Assembly spent the first half hour in devotional exercises. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

The following Standing Committees were appointed.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ON BILLS AND OVERTURES.

Ministers: R. B. Ewing, H. Gordon, G. C. Vincent, D. D., Gilbert Small. *Elders:* Hon. J. Bain, Prof. J. B. Cummings, A. S. Foster.

ON JUDICIARY.

Ministers: J. P. Scott, G. P. Rait, John Comin, D. D., John McMaster, D. D. *Elders:* Thomas Galbraith, M. D., J. P. Cowden.

ON NARRATIVE AND STATE OF RELIGION.

Ministers: W. L. Wallace, W. S. Owens, D. K. McKnight. *Elders:* W. C. Hutchinson, W. W. Blair, M. D.

ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Ministers: J. P. Lytle, Joseph McHatton, F. Church, James S. Barr. *Elder:* Henry Harrison.

ON HOME MISSIONS.

Ministers: Wm. Johnson, J. H. Brown, W. M. Gibson. *Elders:* T. A. Robinson, A. B. McCandless, M. D.

ON EDUCATION.

Ministers: J. M. Waddle, J. A. Collins, Prof. J. C. Hutchison. *Elders:* Washington Bovard, Aaron Welsh.

ON PUBLICATION.

Ministers: D. W. French, D. D., J. N. Buchanan, J. R. Kyle. *Elders:* James L. Murdoch, John Wood.

ON FREEDMEN'S MISSION.

Ministers: S. S. Ralston, D. D., James McNeal, W. A. McConnell. *Elders:* S. W. Moorhead, John Larimer.

ON CHURCH EXTENSION.

Ministers: D. F. Bonner Andrew Renwick, J. C. Elliott. *Elders:* Wm. Glass, A. J. Burgess.

ON FINANCE.

Elders: Wm, Getty, John Templeton, John Brinkerhoff, R. H. Reed, M. D., R. McLaren.

ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

Ministers: D. S. Littell, T. H. Hanna, John Williamson. *Elders:* James Walker, Aaron Boyd.

ON STATISTICS.

Ministers: J. C. Herron, J. H. Niblock, S. J. Stewart. *Elders:* James Stewart, John Wylie.

ON CORRESPONDENCE.

Ministers: J. B. Dales, D. D., D. R. Kerr, D. D., J. R. Wallace. *Elders:* A. Crawford, John A. Templeton.

ON DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES.

Ministers: S. S. White, J. R. Brittain, A. S. Vincent. *Elders:* Robert T. Elliot, James Archer.

ON REVISION.

Ministers: H. Sturgeon, J. B. McMichael, W. A. Mackenzie. *Elders:* Wm. H. Moore, Wm. Patton.

Credentials of delegates of the Synod of the United Presbyterian Church of Great Britain, and of a delegate of the Church of the Waldenses to this Assembly, were presented and referred to the Committee on Correspendence.

A memorial, on licensing young men to preach the gospel, was presented and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

The report of the Permanent Committee on Narrative and State of Religion was presented and referred to the Committee on Narrative and State of Religion, and on Bills and Overtures.

A memorial from certain members of the Society, entitled, "Patrons of Husbandry," was presented and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

An invitation to the Assembly, from the Presbyterian Board of Publication, to visit the Publication House and avail themselves of its convenience, was tendered. The invitation was accepted with the thanks of the Assembly.

The Committee on Seminaries presented a report. The report was put on the docket and made the order of the day for Monday afternoon. Two hundred and fifty copies were ordered to be printed for the Assembly.

The Minutes of the last General Assembly, and, also, those of the Second Synod, were referred to the Committee on Revision.

Took up the report of the Committee on the Support of the Gospel. The report was referred to a Special Committee, consisting of the following persons, namely: Revs. Dr. McMasters, J. P. Lytle, Prof. J. C. Hutchison, Messrs. John Templeton and Wm. Getty.

Dr. D. W. French made a statement in relation to a bequest of Mrs. Mary Hanna. Mr. A. J. Burgess was appointed an agent to attend to the matter.

Dr. French also made a statement in relation to a bequest of Mr. James Thompson, late of Mercer Co., Pa. The matter was referred to the Committee on Finance. The report of the Treasurer of the Board of Publication and of the Superannuated Minister's Fund were presented and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Correspondence presented the following report which was adopted:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE.

The Committee on Correspondence report that the credentials of the following persons, have been presented from sister Evangelical Churches:

Rev. John Eadie, D. D., LL.D., and Rev. H. Calderwood, LL.D., from the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland.

Rev. D. F. Hadden, from the Associate Reformed Synod of the South.

Rev. Edward A. Collier, from the General Synod of the Reformed Church.

Rev. George Patterson and Rev. James Bennett, from the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces of British North America.

Rev. E. R. Beadle, D. D., and Rev. R. M. Patterson, Ministers, and Geo. Junkin, Esq., from the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.

Rev. Matteo Prochet, of the Church of the Waldenses.

The Committee recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That these Credentials be received; that the Commissioners names be entered on the roll, and they be cordially invited to a seat in the General Assembly.

The Moderator read telegrams announcing the death of Rev. T. Beveridge, D.D., and Rev. John Weir. Remarks were made by some of the members in relation to both of these brethren; after which, on motion of Rev. G. Small, a Committee was appointed to bring in a report in relation to the death of both these ministers, and especially that of our aged and distinguished father, the Rev. Dr. Beveridge. The Committee consisted of the following persons—namely: Revs. J. P. Lytle, J. T. Cooper, Dr. S. Wilson, R. B. Ewing, and Dr. D. W. French.

The Assembly adjourned to spend a half hour in prayer and conference with a view to the improvement of these dispensations of Providence. Closed with prayer by Rev. F. Church.

2 o'clock, P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. J. C. Elliott. Minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The following resolution, offered by Dr. Vincent, was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is now in session in this city a Convention clothed with power to remodel the Constitution of this Commonwealth, therefore,

Resolved, That we send our greetings to that Convention, and request them that as the Christian religion is the religion of this world by Divine Constitution, on the one hand, they conform our political constitution to this great fundamental truth—recognizing, our obligations to, and on the other claiming for ourselves and our posterity, the blessing and protection of the sovereign Lord of all.

The following persons are the Committee contemplated in the foregoing resolution—namely: Dr. Vincent, Revs. J. P. Lytle and W. S. Owens.

The Committee on Correspondence, reported the following resolution, which was adopted.

Resolved, That it be the order of the day to hear the Rev. D. F. Haddon, delegate from the Associate Reformed Synod of the South, at four o'clock this afternoon — that the delegates from the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces, from the Reformed Church, and from the Evangelical Church of the Waldenses, be heard at the appointed hour to-morrow morning—and that the delegates from the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland, and the Presbyterian Church of the United States be heard at the appointed hour on Monday morning.

The motion appointing Mr. Burgess as agent in reference to the estate of Mrs. Hanna, was reconsidered, and on motion of Mr. Getty, the matter was referred to the Committee on Finance.

A paper, offered by Rev. G. Small, on the collection and publication of the laws of the Church, was referred to the Committee on Publication.

The Assembly proceeded to fix the place and time of the next meeting. The first Congregation of Monmouth, having invited the Assembly to meet in their Church, the Assembly appointed that place for the next meeting. The time of meeting is the 4th Wednesday of May, 1874, at 7:30 P. M.

The Assembly agreed to spend the first half hour of each morning's Session in devotional exercises.

The Committee on Narrative and State of Religion, presented a report, which, with the report of the Permanent Committee, was put on the docket.

A paper, on a revision and modification of the Constitutions of the Boards of the Church, was presented and referred to the Committee on Publication.

Took up the report of the Committee on the Expenses of Commissioners, and the Ratio of Representation.

Pending the discussion the report, the order of the day arrived—namely: the hearing of Rev. D. F. Haddon, the delegate of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South. Mr. Haddon was introduced and addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The following resolution, offered by Drs. Dales and Kerr, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the General Assembly has heard with deep interest the statements of the Rev. D. F. Haddon, delegate from the Associate Reformed Synod of the South, and cordially reciprocate the congratulations and expressions of good will which he brings.

Resolved, That this Assembly will appoint a delegation to attend the next meeting of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South, and assuring its members of our fraternal regards, and of our desire for its prosperity in the maintainance and extension of the truth, invite them to co-operate with us in the Home and Foreign Mission work, and in mutual efforts to promote the cause of our common Lord.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on expenses of commissioners, and ratio of representation. The first two resolutions of the report were stricken out, and the rest of the report referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

Took up the report of the Committee on Narrative and State of Religion. The report was discussed and laid upon the table with the view of taking up the report of the Permanent Committee.

Took up the roport of the Permanent Committee on Narrative and State of Religion. Said report was referred again to the Committee on Narrative and State of Religion.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. D. Whitham.

7:30 P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Dr. Comin, and singing the 100th Psalm.

The order of the day was taken up—namely: the consideration of the report of the Committee on Sabbath Schools. The Assembly followed the plan recommended in the report—which is as follows:

1. Has the Sabbath School, as it exists in the Christian Church, the elements of usefulness, and do its results in the past encourage us to seek and expect more abundant success?

To be opened by Dr. Comin.

2. What can be done to increase its efficiency as a means of effecting the conversion of children and the growth in grace of those who are God's children?

To be opened by W. S. Owens.

3. By what means may we secure trained teachers for our Sabbath Schools?

To be opened by William Getty.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. C. Herron.

SATURDAY.

May 31, 9 o'clock. A. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by the Moderator. Spent the first half hour in devotional exercises. Minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Preservation of Records, presented a report which was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON PRESERVATION OF RECORDS.

The Committee appointed by the 14th General Assembly to collect the old records and historic documents of the Synods and Presbyteries of the Associate, and Associate Reformed Churches before the union, would respectfully report.

The Committee, because its members were so widely separated from each other, had no meeting during the year. Letters were addressed by the Chairman to all the members of the Committee, and responses received from most of them.

A circular was published in the church papers, giving the names of the Synods, and Presbyteries whose records were sought; and inviting all persons, in possession of any of them, or who knew where they were to be found, to inform the Committee.

By means of this circular a knowledge has been gained of many of these old records, and a list of such as have been reported can be furnished by the Committee.

But as the Assembly had issued no order to persons, holding these old records, to deliver them to the Committee; and as there was an unwillingness on the part of some to give them into the hands of the Committee, without such an order, it could do nothing more than make a note of where these records are, and then wait the action of the Assembly.

Your Committee also learned that some of these Synods and Presbyteries, must, for some time to come, maintain a legal existence, and meet on their own adjournment, and of necessity must retain their own records, with a view to their being able to show their continued existence.

This Committee was also ordered to look after historical documents and collect them. It would also state, it has made some progress in this department of its work. It has found very important documents, but it has obtained the possession of none; because it did not think it was authorized to pur-

chase them. If it is to make any progress in this department of its work, its powers must be defined and enlarged. In addition to the above, your Committee would state the Assembly gave no explicit directions where it would have these records and historical documents deposited, and it was felt they might be as safe in the hands where they now are, as in the possession of any of your Committee.

If the Assembly determines to prosecute this work, your Committee would recommend the adopting of the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That as this work is not the work of one year, and as a beginning has been made, the Assembly appoint a Committee to prosecute this work during the coming year as vigorously as it can be done.

2d. That this Committee be authorized to receive and receipt for all the records of Synods and Presbyteries formerly in connection with Associate and Associate Reformed Churches which have been dissolved, and that all persons in possession of these records be requested to forward them at once to the Chairman, or some member of the Committee.

3d. That such Synods and Presbyteries as find it necessary to perpetuate their existence, still to meet on their own adjournment while retaining their own records, as they must necessarily do, are nevertheless directed to report to this Committee the names of their clerks, and where these records are.

4th. That this Committee be directed to deposit such records and historical documents as come into its hands, in the safe of the United Presbyterian Book Rooms, in the city of Pittsburgh, and that the Superintendent of these Rooms be charged with their proper care and keeping.

5th. That this Committee be authorized to receive as a donation, or to purchase such historical documents as in the judgment of the majority of its members are necessary to preserve a knowledge of the planting, growth, labors, and struggles of the Associate and Associate Reformed Churches in this country, with a view to furnishing materials for future history, and for affecting said purchases be authorized to draw through the Principal Clerk upon the Treasurer of the Assembly to an amount not exceeding $75.00, as these purchases may be made.

All of which is respectfully submitted, W. H. ANDREW, *Chairman.*

The Committee contemplated in the foregoing report consists of Revs. W. H. Andrew, J. H. Pressly, D. D., J. B. Dales, D. D., J. P. Lytle, G. Small, A. Young, D. D., R. A. McAyeal, J. N. Smith, S. G. Irvine, G. Lansing, D. D., J. S. Barr, and John McMasters, D. D.

The following persons—viz.: Revs. J. S. Easton, D. D., W. J. Robinson, J. W. Witherspoon, and D. R. Kerr, D. D., were, with the Chairman of the foregoing Committee appointed an Executive Committee.

The Committee on the Relation of Trustees and Session, in regard to Church property, presented a report which was put on the docket and directed to be printed.

The order of the day having arrived—namely: the hearing of delegates of other Churches, the Rev. Edward A. Collier, delegate of the Reformed Church in America, the Revs. George Patterson and James Bennet, delegates of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces of Canada; the Rev. Matteo Prochet, of the Church of the Waldenses, were severally introduced and each addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The Assembly arose and sang the last three verses of the 72d Psalm, and then took a recess for thirty minutes.

The Assembly resumed business. Took up the report of the Committee on the relation of Trustees and Sessions in regard to property.

On motion of Dr. Dales, the report was referred to a Select Committee, and the consideration of it made the order of the day for Tuesday, at 10 o'clock A. M. The Committee consists of the following persons,—namely, Messrs. James Bain, A. McCandless, M. D., John Templeton, James Walker, and Robert Stewart.

The order of the day for hearing delegates of other Churches, Monday forenoon was changed to 3 o'clock of the same day. The order of the day for the consideration of the report on the Seminaries, was changed to Monday forenoon.

The Standing Committee on Narrative and State of Religion presented a report which was amended and adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON NARRATIVE AND STATE OF RELIGION.

Your Standing Committee on Narrative and State of Religion report. They have had before them the report of the Permanent Committee of last year. They find it to be in every respect an admirable paper and well worthy of circulation throughout the Church.

It is the opinion of your Committee, that in view of the action taken by the Assembly of 1870, relative to Committees on Narrative and State of Religion, the Committee known as the Standing Committee, has no proper existence, and that this Assembly should either rescind said action, or remove said Committee from the list of Standing Committees.

You are respectfully recommended, therefore, to adopt the following:

Resolved, 1st, That the report of the Permanent Committee on Narrative and State of Religion for 1872–73 be adopted, and that it be put upon the minutes and published in full in the papers of the Church.

2d. That the action of the Assembly of 1870, relative to Committees on Narrative and State of Religion be hereby rescinded.

3d. That the rule defining the duties of the Committee on Narrative and State of Religion be so amended as to require said Committee to report to the General Assembly following its appointment; and in order that this report may be made more intelligently, it shall be the duty of the Presbyteries to forward to the Chairman of said Committee, their reports on the state of religion in the Churches under their care, not later than the first day of May, each year.

4th. That Revs. J. S. Sands, J. C. Boyd, W. J. Robinson, and Elders Thomas McCance, and Thomas Wakeham, be hereby appointed a Committee on Narrative and State of Religion for the ensuing year.

A memorial respecting the Patrons of Husbandry, from a Committee of the Presbytery of Xenia, was presented and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Assembly adjourned to meet on Monday, 9 o'clock A. M. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. A. Collins.

MONDAY.

June 2, 9 o'clock, A. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by the Moderator. Spent the first half hour in devotional exercises. Minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Special Committee on the Support of the Gospel, asked and obtained, leave to retire.

The Committee on Church Extension presented a report, which was amended and adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON CHURCH EXTENSION.

The only paper referred to your Committee is the Annual Report of the Board. From this we learn that the cause of Church Extension is being increasingly appreciated by the Church at large; and that in consequence, the contributions to this fund are becoming each year larger. The receipts of the Treasurer were five thousand dollars larger in 1870 than in 1869; five thousand dollars larger in 1871 than in 1870, and six thousand dollars larger the past year than in the one preceding. These enlarged contributions give unmistakable evidence of an increasing confidence on the part of the Church at large in this Board, as an agency for the advancement of our Redeemer's kingdom, and of a growing willingness to support it in its work. For this we thank God and take courage.

There is, however, very much land yet to be possessed. One-ninth of all our congregations are without houses of worship. This is a fact to be deplored—a state of things to be remedied at once if possible. No congregation can ordinarily be entirely successful without possession of a suitable house of worship. To secure this should be the first effort of every congregation, and to aid such as are not able to do this for themselves, should be one of the first cares of this Assembly. For the accomplishment of this object, this Board has been organized; and in its efforts to secure this result, should receive the warmest sympathies, and enjoy the heartiest co-operation of all our members. And yet it is a sad fact, that many of our Presbyteries during the past year have contributed but little, and *four* have contributed *nothing* to this fund.

It is a fact—a fact which should be far more generally known than it is—that the failure of any particular congregation aided by this Board, furnishes no just ground for withdrawal of confidence from the Board—affords no valid excuse for withholding from it contributions to the cause it represents. The contributions of our Churches when given through this Board, are amply secured against loss, or perversion, either by mortgage or deed. And inasmuch as the aid granted to any congregation is never equal to the value of the property owned by such congregation, it is evident that the Church, in any case, can scarcely be a loser. In the case of the failure of such congregation, by the sale of its property, the aid granted may be recovered, and then applied elsewhere with better results.

The Board calls the attention of this Assembly to the fact that no time has been specified within which applications for aid are to be received. In consequence of this, these applications are being continually presented; and the Board is thereby greatly embarrassed. Did they know at the beginning of the year the amount of aid they would be asked to grant during the year, and the places to which they would be asked to grant it, they might be able to make a wiser distribution of the funds placed at their disposal than otherwise is possible.

There are other matters presented in the report for the consideration of the Assembly; but they do not seem to call for further notice than is given in the resolutions herewith presented.

In view then of the foregoing statements, your Committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1st. That the action of the Board during the past year, as related in their report, be approved.

2d. That all our Presbyteries be enjoined to make earnest efforts to secure contributions to this fund from all the congregations under their care.

3d. That after the present year, all applications for aid from this Board shall be made on or before the first day of May in each year.

4th. That the Board be limited in their grants to the amount appropriated by the Assembly, unless the liberality of the Church justify grants in excess of this.

5th. That all our congregations be urged to make all their contributions to the cause of church building through this Board, in order that such contributions may be secured to the Church.

6th. That the request of Chicago be referred to the Board, with instructions to grant such request if, in their judgment, the interests of the Church at large imperatively require it, it being understood that the interest is only for one year.

7th. That the Trustees of this Assembly be directed to sell the church property at Morrison, Tenn., and apply the proceeds to the Loan Fund of the Board of Church Extension.

8th. That the matter of the revision of the Constitution of this Board, be referred to the Board with instructions to report to the next Assembly such amendments as their experience proves to be necessary.

9th. That all congregations receiving aid from this Board, or which shall receive aid from it in the future, be enjoined to study simplicity and economy in the erection of their churches.

10th. That thirty-two thousand dollars be appropriated by this Assembly to this Board for the present year.

11th. That Rev. J. W. Witherspoon, Rev. John S. Sands, and William Reed, Esq., whose terms of office expire at this time, be re-elected.

The Committee on the Seminaries presented a report.

Pending the discussion of the second resolution, Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. H. Gordon.

2 o'clock P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. D. Anderson. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

The Committee on Freedmen's Mission presented a report which was put on the docket.

The Special Committee on the relation of Sessions and Trustees to church property, presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The Committee on Education presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The following resolution, offered by Rev. Prof. J. C. Hutchinson, was unanimously adopted—members voting by rising:

Resolved, That the Assembly, by a rising vote, return thanks to our friends in Philadelphia, for our ride to Fairmount Park, and the rich banquet furnished by them at Belmont Cottage, on last Saturday afternoon.

The Committee appointed by the last General Assembly on the support of the gospel, presented a report which was put on the docket.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Seminaries.

Rev. Drs. Eadie and Calderwood, of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland, being present, were invited to address the Assembly on the subject under consideration, which was done by them.

Pending the discussion of the report, the order of the day having ar-

rived—namely: the hearing of delegates of other Churches, Rev. Jno. Eadie, D. D., LL.D., and the Rev. Henry Calderwood, LL.D., of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland; the Rev. E. R. Beadle, D.D., and Rev. Robert M. Patterson of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, were severally introduced to the Assembly. Each of these delegates addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The Assembly was invited by the Hon. James Pollock, the director of the U. S. Mint, to visit that institution. The invitation was accepted with the thanks of the Assembly.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Seminaries. Pending the discussion, the Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. H. P. Jackson.

7:30 o'clock P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. J. N. Buchanan. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

Proceeded to the order of the day,—namely, the subject of Home Missions.

The Assembly went into Committee of the Whole on the subject; the Rev. Dr. Dales in the Chair.

The Committee of the Whole reported progress and asked leave to sit again. The request was granted.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Prof. Hutchison.

TUESDAY.

June 3, 9 o'clock A. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by the Moderator. Spent the first half hour in devotional exercises. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

A memorial from Mr. James McCandless, on a Superanuated Ministers' Fund was presented, and referred to a Special Committee, consisting of Rev. C. Cummings, Messrs. Henry Harrison, James Piper, William Getty, G. T. Auld, and Rev. Dr. McMasters.

The Committee on Sabbath Schools asked and obtained leave to retire.

The credentials of Rev. John B. Thompson, D. D., of the Free Christian Church of Italy, as a delegate to the Assembly were presented, and referred to the Committee on Correspondence. The Committee on Correspondence reported that the Assembly make the hearing of the delegate the order of the day for 12 o'clock to-day.

The Committee on Revision presented a report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

The minutes of the Fourteenth General Assembly have been referred to the Committee. Of the eight Synods, six have forwarded their records for revision.

The records of the Synods of Ohio and Kansas are not present.

Of the six Synods sending record for revision, five send certified printed copies.

Your Committee recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the records of the Fourteenth General Assembly, and of the Synods of New York, Pittsburgh, First and Second Synods of the West of Illinois, and of Iowa, be and hereby are approved.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Seminaries.

Took up the order of the day—namely: the consideration of the report of the Special Committee, to which was referred the report of the Committee on the relation of Sessions and Trustees to Church Property. The report was adopted and is as follows:

The Committee to whom was referred the report of the Special Committee, "On the relation of Trustees and Sessions in regard to Church Property and temporalities generally,"

Respectfully report that they have read and carefully considered said report, and the general statement of principles therein contained, and also the resolutions thereto attached, and are of opinion that said Committee have *fully* and *ably* discharged the duties of their appointment. Your Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption by this General Assembly, of said report and resolutions.

The report above referred to, as amended, is as follows:

The Committee on the RELATION OF TRUSTEES AND SESSIONS TO CHURCH PROPERTY AND TEMPORALITIES GENERALLY, respectfully report,

That in view of the important interests involved in this subject for the peace and safety of the Church; and in view of the loose and indefinite ideas practically prevailing in many places in regard to it; and especially in view of the recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, as to the rightful owners, or claimants of Church property; your Committee present for consideration the following general statement of principles:

First. The charter of every Congregation of the United Presbyterian Church, should plainly and particularly set forth the ecclesiastical relation of the Congregation to the United Presbyterian Church of North America, and such relation should be defined in unmistakable terms in a formal act of the General Assembly.

Second. The control of Church property should be given to a Board of Trustees, or Deacons, and in no case should they have the power to sell, dispose of, or alienate said Church property without the unanimous consent and approval of the Session and Congregation by a formal vote, at a meeting regularly called for this purpose.

Third. That in every case the Trustees of a Congregation should be communicant members of the Church; and in the judgment of your Committee, all the Congregations of the Church should have a Board of Deacons, the members of which should be the Trustees required by the charter, and to which should be given the control of the property and temporalities of the Church generally, subject to the conditions above mentioned.

Fourth. Your Committee would earnestly recommend an official examination on the part of each Presbytery of the charter of the particular Churches under their care, as to the powers granted to Trustees or Deacons, and especially as to the ecclesiastical relation of said Churches to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church set forth in their charter, and report to the next General Assembly the several Churches deficient in these respects; and further, that the General Assembly, at its present meeting, direct that in the organization of new Churches, the charters of said Churches shall strictly conform to the requirements above mentioned.

It is also recommended that the Session of each Church shall have the exclusive control of the use of the Church, both for public worship and other meetings during the week.

It is also recommended that in Congregations where there may be objection to or difficulty in electing Deacons for life, such officers may be chosen for a term of years, and be thus qualified to serve as Trustees under charters now in force, or that may be hereafter granted.

In accordance with these general principles, your Committee recommends the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1st. That the General Assembly hereby directs Presbyteries in the organization of new Churches, to require that the charter of said Churches shall contain the following formula, as a definition of the ecclesiastical relation of said Churches to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America:

Preamble for Charter.

"State (or County) of ....., to all to whom these presents may come

GREETING: Know ye, that the persons, whose names are hereunto subcribed, citizens of the State (or Commonwealth) of ....., having associated themselves together as a Church and Congregation, for the purpose of worshipping Almighty God, by the name of the 'United Presbyterian Church of .....,' IN CONNECTION WITH THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA."

And that the following clause be inserted in every deed of conveyance of property:

"In trust that said premises shall be used and kept, maintained and disposed of as a place of divine worship, for the use of the ministers and members of the United Presbyterian Church of North America, subject to the Standards and Acts of said Church as from time to time authorized, and declared by the General Assembly of said Church; and in case the Congregation should cease to exist, or to be connected with, and subject to the jurisdiction of the General Assembly of said Church, or shall lose its corporate existence, the property shall enure in all its holdings to the Trustees of the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America."

Resolved, 2d. It is also earnestly recommended that existing charters be changed to conform to this formula and clause in the deed.

Resolved 3d. That the General Assembly in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, in the case of *Watson vs. Jenner*, instruct Presbyteries and Congregations that the control and possession of Church property belongs only to the members holding to the principles of the United Presbyterian Church, and that it will require a unanimous vote of the Session and Congregation to sell, dispose of, or alienate said Church property; it being understood that this action does not prevent Congregations from disposing of Church property for the purpose of rebuilding, or the erection of a new building in a new location.

Resolved 4th. That in every Church the Trustees shall be in full communion with the Church, and that the use of the church building for public worship, and all other meetings, shall be under the direction and control of the Session of the Church.

Resolved, 5th. That Presbyteries are hereby directed to make an official examination of the charters of the particular Churches under their care, as to the powers granted the Trustees, and especially as to the ecclesiastical relations of said Churches, and report to the next General Assembly the result of said examination.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Seminaries.

Took up the order of the day—namely: the hearing of the delegate of the Free Christian Church of Italy. The delegate was introduced and addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. S. Barr.

2 o'clock P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. Joseph McHatton. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

The Committee on Home Missions presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The Judiciary Committee presented a report on the Patrons of Husbandry, which was put on the docket.

The Committee on Sabbath Schools presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The alumni and friends of Westminster College, made a request that the Assembly hear an address this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, by President Jeffers. The request was granted.

The Special Committee on the Memorial signed S. S. Smucher, in relation to a confederation of Evangelical Churches, presented a report which was adopted, as follows:

Your Committee find that this Memorial, with its accompanying appeal, consists of two parts. In the first, it seeks the unity of the visible Church, and proposes a voluntary and advisory confederation of the Churches, in which, while each denomination will remain in its separate and independent organization, there shall be intercommunion at the Lord's table, and a general co-operation with each other. To this your Committee have only to say, that the United Presbyterian Church most cordially sympathizes with the doctrine of the essential unity of the Church, as composed of all believers in Christ the common Head, and that all the different branches, or denominations of the visible Church, ought to respect each other's views and feelings; should actively co-operate with each other in every way consistent with their professions, and should most carefully, with the spirit of brethren in the Lord, refrain from interfering with, or trespassing upon each other's work, where there is not a special call in the providence of God; but beyond this, as things still are, in the limited measure of the Holy Spirit, that has been poured out upon the Church and the world, and in the solemn necessity that there is in all to maintain discipline and good order in everything that justifies a separate organization at all, it does not appear that the way is yet open for the different denominations to take the step proposed. Your Committee, therefore, recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That while cherishing kind and christian regards for every follower of Christ and for all Evangelical Churches, and while holding itself ready to co-operate in any good work with the servants of Christ of every name, yet this Assembly does not feel that it would be for edification for us to set aside in principle or practice, any of its distinctive features as a portion of the visible Church, or even seem to affect a union which could not in reality exist.

In its second part the Memorial proposes the appointment by this General Assembly of twenty-five delegates to attend the meeting of the World's Evangelical Alliance in New York, in October next. While appreciating the object which good men had in view in this movement at its organization in the city of London, in 1846, when some of our own Church had places in it, and while thankful for any good it has attempted and accomplished, yet as

it is a voluntary organization, and does not sustain any ecclesiastical relation, it is not regarded as necessary or important, that the Assembly should make any formal recognition of it, further than in a general commendation of its aims and its object. Therefore,

Resolved, That while the Divine direction and blessing are devoutly desired for the Alliance, in common with every movement that has for its end, the promotion of the well-being of men, and the glory of God; yet the General Assembly does not deem it expedient or important that it make any appointments of delegates, or representatives to attend it.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Committee on the Seminaries.

The subject contained in the second resolution of the report as herewith published, was referred to the Professors of the Theological Seminaries, at their meeting, provided for in the 4th resolution. With this exception the whole report was adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARIES.

The Ministry of the Church, under God, is the great element of her power. It is not so much in the number as in the qualifications of her ministry this power consists. In the times in which we live there is a demand for the highest order of ministerial qualifications.

It is doubtful whether, as a denomination, we have been duly alive to these indisputable facts. We have had our Theological Seminaries, and they have sent out a ministry which for character and preaching power has honorable distinction; but these seminaries have been required to do their work under manifest disabilities and many discouragements. Although doing the most important work of the church, training men for every department of her service, at home and abroad, they have had, perhaps, less solicitous care, less general sympathy and liberal support, than any other of her principal agencies of usefulness. In the action of late Assemblies there is evidence of an awakening interest in this subject, on which the Church is to be congratulated.

The enabling Act of the Twelfth General Assembly, by which authority was given for the transfer of the seminaries, from the care of Synods to that of the Assembly, was a good beginning of such action. It would be to place them where they properly belong, according to our Form of Government; and it would put it in the power of the Assembly to make them, in number and character, what the general sentiment of the Church might judge necessary. The general feeling that we have more Seminaries than are needed, is, no doubt, one cause of the indifference and inadequate support with which they have had to contend. A less number, more fully equipped and better sustained, would undoubtedly do the work to better effect; and it is to be hoped that, under a continuance of the act named, the end sought will yet be attained.

While the Seminaries remain, as now, under the care of synods, the power of the Assembly is limited; but such as it has is very important. According to our Form of Government (chap. v., art. iv., sec. 3,) it belongs to the Assembly "to establish and regulate Theological Seminaries so as to secure uniformity in the course and term of study." This article may not place existing Seminaries under the entire control of the Assembly, but it does make the establishment of new ones its exclusive prerogative, and make the course of study in all subject to its regulation. The latter power is all the Assembly has assumed; and in its exercise has appointed us as a Committee to report a course of study, text-books, and a plan of conducting examinations," &c. The subject is one of much delicacy and difficulty, and on which we are yet unable to make as definite a report as might be desired.

In respect to a course of study, we submit this outline, or enumeration of the essential parts:

1. The reading and critical study of the Bible in its original languages. This is the great text-book of theology, and such study of it lies at the foundation of any proper theological education.

2. Systematic theology; or the study of the truths of the Bible in their appropriate order, relations and bearings, so as to train the student to skillfulness in ascertaining, arranging, expounding and defending these truths.

3. Church government and worship; or the order, offices and ordinances of the Church as God has appointed them, and requires them to be administered.

4. Church history, beginning with the Old Testament organization and records, studying these in all that is peculiar to them, and all that is important in their relations to the New Testament Church; and then following this down through all the ages to the present time in the most authentic records we have, studying the grand events, not simply in their chronological order, but with special reference to their causes and effects; closing the course with a careful analysis of the present state of the Church, and application of the lessons of the past to questions arising in the current history of the Church.

5. Pastoral theology, including the composition and delivery of sermons, the proper mode of conducting public worship, administering Church discipline, visiting the sick, and doing pastoral work generally.

There are other studies collateral to these, of recognized importance, but which we need not name here. Those named are the essential parts of a good theological education, and are the least that should be required in our Seminaries.

In respect to text-books, although that part of the subject referred to us on which most definiteness may be expected, we are unable to report conclusions entirely satisfactory to ourselves. Entire uniformity here is, perhaps, impracticable. The teaching should be substantially the same in every part of the course, and as far as possible the same part of it should be taught in all the Seminaries at the same time. But the Professors should have some liberty to consult their own tastes and judgments as to the modes and means by which they can best do their work in their respective departments. Uniformity here, to a good extent, may be attainable, but whatever is done to this end should be done with great care and deliberation, and, we think, can be best done by those most concerned in it, and whose work compels most attention to it. We, therefore, recommend that the Faculties of the different Seminaries be requested to take this subject into consideration, and by conference at a convenient time and place, or by correspondence, arrange the course of study, and, as far as possible, for the use of the same text-books in all our seminaries.

In respect to examinations, we are prepared to recommend the mode of written questions and answers. In any department of education, examinations that fairly test the acquirements of students, and at the same time serve as a stimulus to study, do much to elevate the standard of scholarship. The proposed mode has had such effect in colleges, and is, at least, worthy of a trial in our Theological Seminaries.

But before putting any of our recommendations in form for adoption, we beg leave to submit a few thoughts on the general subject of ministerial training, and especially as it may be affected by the action of Presbyteries. While it is important to have our Seminaries work up to the full measure of their usefulness, it is no less important that the Presbyteries act up to their responsibilities.

It is for them, in the first place, to decide on the reception of students; to judge of their piety, mental fitness, and preliminary education. There is a re-

sponsibility here of great delicacy, but which honesty and faithfulness require to be met. To encourage a young man to engage in a course of preparation for the ministry without any good promise of comfort and usefulness in it, is to do him a great wrong, and may do the Church a great injury. It is not mere piety that fits for the office. There may be bodily infirmities and vocal defects, as well as mental weakness, that would make serious disqualifications. The office is entitled to the best powers in their highest culture. A completed collegiate course, or an education equivalent to it, should be held as indispensable, preliminary to the theological studies; and this education should have special reference to what is specially demanded for these studies. For instance, every student who enters a Theological Seminary should come there with good knowledge of Hebrew and Greek, that his time there may be given to hermeneutical studies proper, or the critical exegesis of the sacred text, rather than merely learning how to read the language. Happily our own colleges provide for this, and, as a general rule, it should be demanded.

Further, it belongs to the Presbyteries to have a continuous oversight of the ministerial training of their students. The Seminaries are but helps in doing a work the primary and chief responsibility of which rests on the Presbyteries themselves. During the intervals of Seminary study, they have the entire oversight of their students; and have it in their power to make these intervals a most profitable time of their training. By exercising them in the composition and delivery of discourses, directing them in the general reading necessary to fill up and round off their theological education, giving them opportunities of witnessing pastoral service, and engaging them in the various kinds of evangelistic work of which they are capable, much may be done, not only to advance them in their proper studies, but to give a practical experience of the utmost importance as a part of their ministerial training.

But while asserting this power and responsibility of Presbyteries, we claim for the Seminaries a fair opportunity for doing the work assigned them. They should, at least, have the full number and length of sessions allotted them. By the last Assembly the term of study was made three sessions of seven months, with no licensure until after the close of the third. Whether this is the best arrangement, may be doubted; but, while it exists, it should be properly respected. This it is not. In some of the Presbyteries licensure at the end of the second session is quite common. The effect is a serious infringement on the Seminary course. During the first session a student does little more than learn how to study in the different departments. By the best application he makes but a good beginning. With undiverted attention to the studies of the second session, it may be one of the best; but if the student return with ideas of licensure at its close, and, as is frequently the case, with trials for licensure occupying his attention, his Seminary studies must suffer more or less neglect. His third sesssion is broken up by preaching engagements. Thus whatever advantages may be in the Seminary course are one-half lost in a way for which Presbyteries are responsible. And this is not all. The varying action of Presbyteries in this respect defeats the important end of uniformity in the conditions of licensure. It is here, among the Presbyteries, reformation must begin, if our mode of training young men for the ministry is to be improved.

In some respects, we believe, much would be gained to the end sought, by a return to the old order of four sessions with no license before the close of the third; and no interference with the studies of licentiates during the fourth. Experience proved it to work well. Students did not expect, and Presbyteries did not grant license before the appointed time, unless in clearly exceptional cases. There is less need now than in earlier times in this country

for hurrying young men into the Ministry. What is especially needed is a more complete course of study and a better order of training. And the best system for this, we believe, would be combined in accordance with the foregoing suggestion, viz: A term of four uninterrupted sessions of study, shorter than now they might be, but as long as students can be to good effect held down to close work, in connection with more careful supervision of the students by their Presbyteries during the intervals of Seminary study. It would be a system, in itself, near the true ideal of ministerial training, better adapted to impart all the necessary knowledge, and promote the healthful growth of the student into a workman not needing to be ashamed. There is no greater mistake in relation to a theological education than to consider it so much knowledge packed into the mind in so much time. It is rather a process of gradual enlightenment, enlargement and discipline of the mind by appropriate studies and exercises, requiring adequate time for healthful development. This is especially necessary when students are very youthful as most of ours are. It may keep them back a little longer from active service, but any loss of this kind will be made up, countless times, by the greater efficiency of their life time work.

We, therefore, respectfully submit for adoption the following resolutions:

1. That the "Enabling Act" of the Twelfth General Assembly, as amended by the 13th, be continued in force in the hope that the way may yet be made clear for placing all our Seminaries more completely under the care of the Assembly.

2. That the term of study in our Seminaries be four sessions of—— months, to begin on the first Tuesday of——

3. That the course of study should be carefully arranged so as to include all the essential parts of a complete course, suited to the demands of the times, of exegetical, systematic historical and pastoral Theology.

4. That the Professors in our Seminaries be requested to take this subject into immediate and careful consideration, and, at their earliest convenience, to meet for the arrangement of such a course of study, and the designation of text-books to be used in it; this meeting not to be later than on the first Wednesday in August, so as to give due time for doing all that may be judged practicable or desirable in the matter, and announcing the result before the opening of the next sessions; their conclusions to be reported to the next Assembly for approval or amendment.

5. That the examinations in our Seminaries be conducted with written questions, to be prepared for each Seminary under the direction of its Board of Superintendents; these questions, for each session, to cover the subjects studied in it, and to be put into the hands of students atits close for written answers; and that for an approved examination satisfactory answers to at least two-thirds of the questions proposed be required. In cases of failure, a second examination may be allowed at a convenient time.

6. That the Presbyteries be enjoined to exercise tenderly, but faithfully, their authority in judging of the piety, mental gifts and acquirements, and general fitness for the office, of all candidates for the ministry; to give them, during the progress of their studies, the full benefits of a Seminary course, as also of such oversight as it belongs to Presbyteries to take of their theological students; and that they be especially enjoined to guard against premature licensures, or whatever would unnecessarily come short of the established conditions of licensure, which, according to our form of Government, part II, chapter 5, section 2, are that "in ordinary cases, a student is not to be admitted to *trials* for license until he has completed a course of theological study of *three full years*, after the time of his admission by the Presbytery, and produced testimonials of good conduct and proficiency in his studies."

The following resolutions were moved and adopted on the same general subject:

Resolved, That Presbyteries be instructed not to permit students to enter the Seminaries while prosecuting their collegiate course.

Resolved, That Presbyteries be required to report to each General Assembly the names of persons licensed during the year, and to give account in each case of the number of sessions spent at the Theological Seminary, and the training given by the Presbytery itself.

Took up the report of the Committee on Missions to the Freedmen. The report was amended and adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON MISSIONS TO THE FREEDMEN.

The Committee to whom were referred the interests of the Freedmen's Mission, would respectfully report, that in our apprehension there can be but one mind in relation to the momentous importance of this cause. The well-being of that people demands a thorough Christianization. "He is the free man whom the truth makes free." But happily, our Board of Home Missions has already made such provision for the supply of their wants, as circumstances seemed to render practicable; all of which will be brought before you through the proper channel.

As intimately connected with the cause of Missions, a memorial from the Presbytery of Tennessee, makes an earnest appeal for the founding of a Normal School among the Freedmen. The intellectual elevation of that people is highly necessary as preparatory to their Christianization. Our commission is, "Go through, go through the gates; prepare ye the way of the people; cast up, cast up the highway; gather out the stones; lift up a standard for the people." To do this we must educate, and to educate successfully we need intelligent teachers of their own race.

From the report of the Freedmen's Board, we learn that considerable sums of money are likely to be available from the sales of Mission property in Knoxville, in Nashville, and in Vicksburg; and on the floor of the Assembly we heard of one or two bequests in their behalf, besides landed interests. It is, therefore, hoped that the proposed enterprise will be found quite practicable, and it is hoped that this Assembly will see its way clear to take immediate action.

Your Committee has made limited inquiries in regard to an eligible location for the proposed school; but we do not feel prepared to make a specific recommendation. Nashville is thought to be preoccupied.

Knoxville presents an open field, and is said to be favorable in point of cheap living. But it would seem necessary to make extensive inquiries into the comparative advantages that might be realized at such places as Murfreesboro', Franklin, Columbia, and other points.

In conclusion, your Committee would offer the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1st. That the matter of establishing a Normal School among the Freedmen of the South, be referred to the Board of Missions to the Freedmen, with instructions to investigate the subject, and if the funds can be obtained, and a suitable location can be secured, and if in their judgment the establishment of such an institution would be wise, that they be authorized to begin the work, and that they report their action to the next General Assembly.

2d. That all such funds and property as have been given from time to time, for the benefit of the Freedmen, shall be appropriated in good faith.

3d. Whereas the grounds on which the Freedmen's Mission Church at Nashville is situated, belongs to a joint stock company; and whereas the lease from said company has expired; therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Missions to the Freedmen, be authorized to negotiate for the said church site, and secure a clear title for the same; and that so much of the funds accruing from the aforementioned sales of property as may be requisite, be appropriated for said purpose.

4th. That the Board of Freedmen's Missions be continued as one of the regular Boards of the Church, and that said Board have a general supervision over our educational enterprises among the Freedmen.

5th. That the vacancies occasioned by the expired terms of Rev. W. H. Andrew, T. H. Hanna, and J. W. Witherspoon, be filled by re-appointing those brethren.

The Committee on Foreign Missions presented a report, which was put on the docket and made the order of the day for to-morrow at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The subject of Home Missions was made the order of the day for this evening.

The order of the day having arrived, President Jeffers addressed the Assembly on the subject of "Collegiate Education."

The following resolution, offered by Dr. Dales, was adopted:

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to draft a paper on the subject of collegiate education in our Church, and publish it in the papers of the Church. The following persons are the Committee—namely: J. B. Dales, D. D., President Jeffers, D. D., D. A. Wallace, D. D., LL.D.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. G. D. Mathews.

7:30 o'clock P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. W. H. Andrews. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

Took up the order of the day—namely: the report of the Committee on Home Missions. The report was amended and adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS.

We deem it unnecessary to reiterate the statements so frequently made in this Assembly in regard to the thorough cultivation of the home field. The Church, we trust, realizes the importance of the work, and we trust there will be such a response in the prompt contribution of her means as will enable those having the matter in charge, to carry forward the work at least in a good degree approximating the extent of the claims which are being pressed upon us. A wide field, white to the harvest, spreads out before us, and from North, South, East and West, the call is coming up for the living ministry, and for material aid in supplying the spiritual wants of the destitute. It is pleasant to your Committee to be able to report, that the labors of your missionaries in the home field have been crowned with blessings during the past year, and that the Board have devised liberal things for the year on which we now enter. We would, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1st. That this Assembly would hereby record its grateful thanks to Almighty God for the success wherewith He has crowned the labors of our missionaries in the home field during the year now closed, and that we earnestly invoke His continued smile and blessing for the year to come.

2d. That the action of the Board in the appointment of missionaries, and in the appropriation of funds for the coming year, be confirmed.

3d. That the resolutions of the Board under the heading of Miscellaneous Business be adopted by the Assembly.

4th. That in view of the change proposed in part 1st, Miscellaneous Business, the following persons shall constitute the Board of Home Missions: For a term of three years, Revs. W. J. Reid, W. S. Owens, and Elder R. A. Cunningham; for two years, Revs. A. G. Wallace, W. J. Robinson, and Elder G. M. Reed; for one year, Rev. J. W. Witherspoon, Elders S. Mahood, and James McCutcheon.

5th. That the thanks of the Church are due, and are hereby tendered to Rev. J. G. Brown, D. D., the Corresponding Secretary of the Board, for the zeal and diligence with which he has devoted himself to the work entrusted to him.

6th. That our Congregations be earnestly entreated to make prompt and liberal contributions to the Treasury of the Board of Home Missions, that the cry of the laborers engaged in reaping our fields, may not go up to the Lord of Sabaoth as a witness against us.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by the Rev. J. B. McMichael.

WEDNESDAY.

June 4, 9 o'clock A. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. J. Service. Minutes of the last Session read and approved. The roll was called.

The Committee on Correspondence presented the following report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

That the General Assembly are in correspondence by delegation with the following sister Churches:

The Synod of the Associate Reformed Church of the South: the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States; the General Synod of the Reformed (Dutch) Church; the Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church; the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church; the Synod of the Presbyterian Church in the Lower Provinces of British North America; the General Assembly of the Canada Presbyterian Church; the Synod of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland; the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland; the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland; the Church of the Waldenses, and the Free Christian Church of Italy.

The Committee recommend the following appointments to the several Churches:

To the Associate Reformed Church of the South, Rev. S. S. Ralston, D. D., and Rev. J. C. Steele.

To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, Rev. A. Young, D. D., LL.D., principal; Rev. J. R. Doig, D. D., alternate

To the General Synod of the Reformed Church, Rev. G. D. Matthews, principal; Rev. J. A. Williamson, alternate.

To the Foreign Churches with which we are in correspondence, Rev. Wm. Davidson, D.D., and Rev. J. P. Scott.

To the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Rev. John Comin, D. D., principal, and Rev. S. H. Graham, alternate.

To the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. C. Jackson principal, and Rev. W. J. Robinson, alternate.

To the Synod of the Presbyterian Church in the Lower Provinces, Rev. E. T. Jeffers, D. D., principal; Rev. John Hogg, alternate.

To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, Rev. Henry Gordon, principal; Rev. John Service, alternate.

A memorial from G. M. Wylie, in reference to the appeal of James M. Hall to the last Assembly, was presented and referred to the Judicary Committee.

The Committee on Finance presented a report, which was adopted, as follows:

REPORT ON FINANCE.

Operations of the Boards of the Church.

	Receipts, including Balance on hand, May 1st, 1872.	Payments During the year 1872-3.	Balances on hand May 1st, 1873.
Foreign Mission	61,356 89	55,164 39	6,192 50
Home Mission	37,328 52	29,689 29	7,639 23
Freedmen's Mission	7,087 82	6,160 84	926 98
Publication	38,242 37	36,756 77	1,485 60
Church Extension	26,786 72	24,088 12	2,698 60
Education	7,886 10	7,186 25	699 85
Aged Ministers	2,312 90	1,372 50	940 40
General Assembly	1,927 47	1,369 91	457 56
Total	$182,928 79	$161,888 07	$21,040 72

The account of the Treasurer of the Board of Foreign Missions was accompanied with vouchers which, with the account, have been carefully examined and found correct. All the other Boards presented accounts properly audited and very carefully prepared. The thanks of the General Assembly are due to the Treasurers of the different Boards for their accuracy and faithfulness.

CHINA BUILDING FUND.

Rev. J. R. Johnson, Special Agent of the Fund, reports as follows:

Contributions received during the year		$1,905 31
Remitted to T. B. Rich, Treasurer	$1,892 19	
Paid for printing and postage	13 12	1,905 31

The Amount previously contributed, $9,492 12 added to $1,905 31 makes the total amount to this time $11,397 43, leaving the sum of $602 67 yet to be raised to make up the amount of $12,000, authorized by the General Assembly. The Special Agent has discharged his duty in this matter with great promptness and success, and merits the thanks of the General Assembly.

OSIOUT LITERARY INSTITUTE.

T. B. Rich, Esq., Treasurer, B. of F. M., reports having received and remitted for this object the sum of $2,096 80.

LEGACIES.

To General Assembly Fund.		
Mr. Watson	$ 400 00	
Mary Thompson	125 00	525 00
To Church Extension.		
Estate of Rafferty	100 00	
" Thomas McKee	375 00	475 00
To Board of Education.		
Estate of Mrs. Watson		400 00
To Board of Publication.		
Estate of J. Nesbit		475 00
To Foreign Missions.		
Mary A. James	32 00	
Frances A. Wright	150 00	
Priscilla Irwin	890 06	
Estate of Mr. Miller	200 00	
" Mr. Ekin	50 00	
" Eliza Young	15 00	
" Mary Sharke	120 00	
" Elizabeth Elliott	300 00	
" Martha Foster	25 00	
Estate of Catharine Patterson	21 59	
From a Family	500 00	
Estate of Mary Thompson	50 00	
" David Houston	100 00	
" Samuel Clark	47 50	
" Thomas McKee	375 00	
" John Crealey	78 50	
" Jane Wilson	47 50	
" Esther Harris	50 00	
" J. Murray	60 00	
" Mrs. E. Edgar	22 70	1,352 79
Total		$3,227 79

MATTERS NOT ATTENDED TO.

The Trustees of the General Assembly have not reported in regard to the following matteres:

The suit to recover the legacy of Robert Nelson, deceased, as instructed by the General Assembly of 1870.*

The securing of a mortgage on the Church Property in San Francisco, as instructed by the General Assembly of 1872.

The progress of the suit against the estate of McKee, deceased.

The preparation of a proper form of bequest as directed by the General Assembly of 1869.

MATTERS REQUIRING ATTENTION.

In the matter of the bequest of James Thompson, late of the borough of Mercer, Pa., the following action is recommended.

Resolved, That the Trustees of the General Assembly of the U. P. Church be, and hereby are, appointed the Trustees provided for in the will of said James Thompson, or any two of said Trustees are hereby au-

*This suit was decided in favor of the United Presbyterian Church, August, 1872.—*Publisher.*

thorized to act, and receive, receipt for, invest, and appropriate under the instructions of the General Assembly, the interest money that may from time to time come into their hands.

As important matters have been referred to the Trustees of the General Assembly, and have not received, so far as the Assembly is informed, the attention required, the following action is deemed necessary:

Resolved, That the General Assembly regrets the apparent want of attention to important matters referred to the Trustees of the General Assembly, that said Trustees be instructed to give prompt attention to all matters referred to them, and if it is found that other duties prevent them from giving the necessary time and attention to the duties assigned them, they be requested to so inform the General Assembly.

Resolved, That J. G. Brown, D. D., Wm. Reed, and Rev. W. H. Andrew be elected Trustees of the General Assembly for the term of three years, from July 1st, 1873.

In the matter of the bequest of Mrs. Mary Hanna, deceased, to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America, the following action is recommended:

Resolved, That Rev. D. W. French, D. D., be instructed to pay to the Treasurer of Freedmen's Board, the sum of $950, and to the Treasurer of the Board of Foreign Missions, the sum of $950, and forward their receipts to Mr. Small of Mercer, Pa.

It having come to the knowledge of your Committee that $1,000 in Gas Stock is held in Allegheny City, Pa., subject to the order of the General Assembly, the Trustees of the Assembly are hereby instructed to secure possession of this stock at the earliest moment, and hold it subject to the future disposition of it by the Assembly.

As no information has been received as to the result of the action of the Assembly, requesting A. G. Graham, of Monmouth, to bring suit to recover ownership of 160 acres of land in Iowa, donated by John Irwin, the Principal Clerk of the General Assembly be instructed to write to Mr. Graham in regard to this matter.

RESOLUTIONS.

SUPPORT OF THE GOSPEL AND GENERAL WORK OF THE CHURCH.

The success of the Church depends upon the Christian zeal, liberality and activity of its members. These are manifested in a greater or less degree as the Church acts up to the teachings of the Holy Spirit and the example of our blessed Lord. An important part of religious worship is a systematic giving to the Lord's cause. Your Committee therefore recommend the following action:

1. *Resolved*, That every member of the Church should contribute weekly (on the Lord's day) as God hath prospered.

2. *Resolved*, That Sessions and Trustees be recommended to abolish the system of renting pews as inconsistent with freedom of worship, as a hindrance to benevolence, and as making merchandise of the house of God.

3. *Resolved*, That Congregations be urged to give to their pastor a liberal support, and that the sum of $1,000 should be the minimum for country pastors, and the sum of $2,000 for pastors in towns and cities.

4. *Resolved*, That the per diem of Home Missionaries should not be less than $15 00, and in cases of supplying old and well established Congregations the per diem should be largely increased.

5. *Resolved*, That Sessions be instructed to see that Congregations make regular and full contributions to the Boards of the Church, and that Presbyteries be instructed to report to the General Assembly, all Congregations that fail in this respect.

6. *Resolved*, That the Financial Agents of Presbyteries be instructed to remit, quarterly, any moneys in their hands for the different Boards of the Church.

7. *Resolved*, That the different Boards of the Church, and the Trustees of the General Assembly shall have their reports printed in uniform style so that they may be filed and ready for use at the first Session of the Assembly.

8. *Resolved*, That the Treasurers of the different Boards and Funds of the Church be instructed to present printed classified reports, showing the amount received from each Presbytery, from Legacies, Sabbath Schools, Missionary Societies, and individuals, also the expenditures, the same to be published in tabular form in the minutes.

9. *Resolved*, That blank forms be prepared by the Assembly for the use of Financial Agents in remitting moneys to the different Treasurers of the Boards and other funds of the Church, with directions as to the manner of using the same.

10. *Resolved*, That all the contributions of Churches, Sabbath Schools and Societies shall be made through the Financial Agents of Presbyteries.

11. *Resolved*, That the Clerks of the General Assembly be authorized to expend a sum, not exceeding fifty dollars, for the revision of the minutes of the General Assembly.

12. *Resolved*, That it shall be the duty of the Principal Clerk to officially inform the Trustees of the General Assembly in regard to all matters referred to said Trustees.

13. *Resolved*, That the sum of $2,000 be appropriated to the General Assembly Fund to meet the ordinary expenses of the Assembly.

ORDERS TO BE DRAWN.

Resolved, That the Principal Clerk of the General Assembly be instructed to draw upon the Treasurer of the Assembly Fund:

1.	For Salary of Principal Clerk	$100 00
2.	" " Second "	100 00
3.	" " Assistant "	25 00
4.	" Printing, Traveling and Incidental Expenses	50 67
5.	" Expenses of Rev. J. P. Scott, delegate to Canada Presbyterian Church	10 00
6.	For Printing Reports	
7.	" Bill of Stationary	9 25
8.	" Telegraphic Dispatches to Xenia	2 12
9.	" Revision of Minutes of 1872 to Rev. W. W. Barr	50 00
10.	" Sexton of the Second U. P. Church, Philadelphia	30 00

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

Your Committee have examined the Minutes of 1872, and classified the salaries paid to Pastors, and find a large and general increase, and believe that with a little effort on the part of Congregations, any settled Pastor in the United Presbyterian Church would be paid a salary of not less than $1,000. It is earnestlty recommended that this effort be made during the present year, and the hope is indulged that our Church will soon present to the world, the gratifying fact, that *all* her ministers are amply provided for by the generous liberality of the people and without the aid of Sustentation Funds of any kind.

The Committee on Publication made a report, which was put on the docket.

The Special Committee on the death of Dr. Beveridge and Rev. John Weir, presented the following report, which was adopted:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE DEATH OF DR. BEVERIDGE, AND REV. JOHN WEIR.

WHEREAS, This General Assembly has learned with profound emotion of the sudden death of Rev. Thomas Beveridge, D.D., Professor of Biblical Literature and Church History, in the Theological Seminary at Xenia, Ohio; therefore,

Resolved, 1st. That in the death of this venerable and beloved father, we are called to recognize the hand of God, and humbly bow beneath it. "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?"

2d. That, grateful to the Head of the Church for so long sparing and continuing him in active usefulness, we nevertheless feel that in this removal of this aged and faithful servant, who has for more than half a century worthily sustained the office of an embassador of the Lord Jesus Christ, and has been for nearly forty years successfully employed in training others for the ministry of reconciliation, the Church has sustained a deep and lasting loss. "The fathers, where are they? and the prophets, do they live forever?"

3d. That we cherish with tender recollections the memory of the many virtues and excellencies of our departed father—his heart-kindness, courtesy, affability, hospitality, and unaffected humility, which all lent a charm to his sincere and fervent piety, and were as "an ornament of grace unto his head, and as chains about his neck."

4th. That a lasting debt of gratitude is due to him from the Church in which he so long labored for the many and important services rendered; and, especially, for the last great work of his life, his continued, patient and successful efforts to improve, and render acceptable, a metrical version of the Psalms.

5th. That this General Assembly cherishes a comfortable assurance that the spirit of our departed father, as of a "just man made perfect," has joined the "general assembly" of the redeemed in heaven.

6th. That in the simultaneous announcement of the death of Rev. John Weir, a young man who, in the three years of his very acceptable ministerial life, had scarcely been accustomed to the armor in which he was called to fight, we mark an unusual and affecting providence, calculated to admonish us all of the uncertainty of life, and of the duty of working while it is day, for the night cometh when no man can work.

7th. That we tender our deep sympathy and sincere condolence to the families bereaved by these afflictive dispensations, and especially to the beloved "mother in Israel," and our endeared sister who have been made widows, and commend them to the support and consolation of Him who has said, "Thy Maker is thy husband, the Lord of Hosts is His name."

8th. That a copy of these resolutions, signed by the Moderator and Clerk, be communicated to Mrs. Beveridge and Mrs. Weir.

The Committee on Legacies presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The Committee on Superanuated Ministers' Fund presented a report, which was put on the docket.

The Committee on Foreign Missions presented a report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

It is the judgment of your Committee, that the inception, prosecution, and successful working of Foreign Missions, is one of the signs of the last times, and that the abundant blessing with which the Head of the Church has already crowned missionary labor in foreign fields, is but an earnest of that out-

pouring of the Holy Spirit which will fill the earth with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea. While a remarkable blessing has attended the missionary operations of all the different branches of the Church, it is believed that in none of them has it appeared more conspicuously and encouragingly, than in those under the direction and care of the United Presbyterian Church. It is the unanimous opinion of those who have had the best opportunity to judge, that in efficient organization and successful working, the missions of our Church are not exceeded by any in the field. We would, therefore, be not only recreant in duty, but ungrateful to our Divine Master who has gone before, and led us in the way, did we not prosecute this work with renewed energy and zeal, and much more were we to hesitate, or think of tnrning back. To maintain the advantage we have gained in the fields occupied by us, and press forward to new conquests in the cause of our Master, is our evident and imperative duty. Nothing is better calculated to discourage the hearts and weaken the energies of our missionaries, and dampen the ardor, paralyze the efforts, and diminish the liberality of our people, than continued discussions in regard to the impracticability of carrying forward our missionary work. It may be well to consider that, even if we did sound a retreat, there is One, Christ himself, who will not leave the field.

Your Committee present the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That our thanks are due, and are hereby tendered, to the members of the Board of Foreign Missions, and especially to the efficient Corresponding Secretary, Rev. John B. Dales, D.D., for the faithful manner in which they have discharged the trust committed to them by the Assembly.

2d. That our thanks are due, and are hereby tendered, to Mr. T. B. Rich, of New York, Treasurer of the Board, for the efficient and satisfactory management of its funds. And that we take pleasure in mentioning the names of the following friends who have, during the year, materially aided our missions by their generous contributions, and other valuable services:

Charles Arbuthnot, Esq., of Pittsburgh; Messrs. John Curry, of New York; Samuel Finney, of Mansfield, Ohio; Thomas Wilson, of Allegheny, Pa.; J. P. Scott, of Philadelphia; David Stuart, of Liverpool, England, and John Caldwell, of Philadelphia; and also to the various Missionary, Bible and Tract Societies, which have kindly continued the liberality of former years. It deserves special mention that His Highness, the Prince Dhuleep Singh, of England, has continued his generous marriage donation to our Mission in Egypt of $5,000 in gold—a shining example of liberality which has attracted the attention of the Christian world.

3d. That we call attention to, and strongly urge upon the consideration of the Church, the following recommendations of the Board:

"3d. That as all our missions have been founded on the conviction that they were needed, and shall be sustained, and as all the appropriations made by the Assembly are based on estimates from the missions, and are such as will meet the calls of each, and any thing separate or outside of this tends to divert or distract from the general work, and often produces unpleasant results; therefore, special objects or funds shall not, ordinarily, be authorized or encouraged; that eaeh mission be instructed to forward in its estimates any object, common or special, requiring funds, and the amount; and that all the Churches, Missionary Societies, Sabbath Schools and friends of missions, be urged to send their offerings to the general fund, that the Board may disburse them according to the appropriations of the Assembly.

"4th. That in view of the importance of having a place of summer resort in the bracing and salubrious atmosphere of a mountain residence, for such of our missionaries in Syria and Egypt as may be able to visit it, the Assembly approve of the action of the Board in purchasing the property at Bludan, on Mt. Lebanon, for the use of those missions.

"5th. That inasmuc has the financial accounts, and the Book Department of the mission in Egypt, have now become so extensive as to have each require much of the time of a missionary, while both might be fully attended to by a roperly qualified layman; therefore, the Assembly is urged to instruct the Board to seek such a person and appoint him to this service, that thus no missionary may be compelled to turn aside from the missionary work of making the gospel known to attend to secular work.

"6th. In view of the pressing calls from some of our missions for both male and female laborers, the Church will send out, Divine Providence enabling, during the ensuing year, at least two male missionaries and one female to India, one of each to China, and one female to Syria, if called for; and that the Board be instructed to find, if possible, persons suitably qualified, physically and otherwise, for this service, and send them, together with any other that the emergencies of the case and the indications of Providence call for, and that the faithfulness and mercy of God may provide.

"7th. That the following sums be appropriated by the General Assembly for the ensuing year, viz.:

To Syria, $3,753; India, $16,695; Egypt, $30,628; China, $1,500; salaries of two new missionaries, $2,400; outfits for them, $800; salaries for two female missionaries, $1,000; outfits for them, $600; traveling of new missionaries, $1,500; miscellaneous, $800; total, $59,676. Adding premiums on gold and exchange, which will average 25 per cent., would make the amount needed in currency, $73,846.

"8th. That the Assembly most earnestly urge upon all the Churches under its care to have their contributions for the Foreign Missionary work forwarded to the Treasurer, without waiting until towards the close of the ecclesiastical year. Most serious consequences follow this delay. The Treasury is thus forced to be empty and overdrawn—the missionaries are subjected to great inconveniences and trials—and where money has to be borrowed, it often can be done only at enormous losses for interest.

"9th. That in view of the importance of having the statements and reports from the different missions, as they are arranged in the Annual Report, read as widely as possible among our people, and thus all be fully informed of the condition and calls of our Foreign work; therefore, the Board of Foreign Missions be instructed to publish at least 3,000 copies of the Annual Report; that a copy be sent to every minister of our Church; that every Congregation that shall contribute to the Foreign Mission Fund shall receive, without charge, as many copies as can be spared for general circulation among them; and that every pastor be urged to bring that report before his people, and have it as widely read as possible."

4th. That it is recommended to the Board to follow the suggestion presented in their report, that when it becomes indispensable to borrow money to relieve the pressing wants of our Missionaries, that it be done at home, and by the Board, and on the best available terms.

5th. That it is strongly urged on Presbyteries, not to recommend to the Board for appointment to missionary work, any one not established in the principles of our public profession, and who, therefore, cannot reasonably be expected to co-operate harmoniously and efficiently with those already in the field.

6th. That Rev. W. C. Jackson, and Messrs. William Getty and Thomas Stinson, whose term of office expires at this meeting of the Assembly, be reelected members of the Board.

The Assembly made the consideration of the report of the Committee on Publication the order of the day for 2:30 P. M., to-day.

Took up the report of the Judiciary Committee on certain memor-

ials in relation to the "Patrons of Husbandry." The report was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON THE "PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY."

Two memorials have been before us; the first from a Committee in behalf of certain members of the society in the bounds of Keokuk Presbytery, asking a definite answer to the following question: "Is membership in the society known as the Patrons of Husbandry, contrary to the 15th Article of the Testimony, and inconsistant with membership in the United Presbyterian Church?"

The second, from a Committee of the Presbytery of Xenia, asking the Assembly to give such instruction to the inferior courts as will be best calculated to secure uniform action throughout the Church, and strengthen the hands of those who are disposed faithfully to administer the principles of the Church on the subject of secret societies.

From the papers laid before us, and such other information as we have been enabled to obtain in reference to this new organization, we are disposed to believe that this is a society imposing an oath of secrecy, or a pledge equiv- to an oath, on those admitted to membership, inconsistent with our law as a Church on the subject; therefore,

Resolved, That the memorialists be referred to the action of the Assembly of 1869, on the subject of secret societies, and that this Assembly re-affirm the third resolution of said action, which is as follows:

"*Resolved*, That this Assembly do most earnestly and affectionately exhort all the members of this Church to abstain from connecting themselves with any secret associations, believing that they are unnecessary, and are calculated to operate injuriously on the interests of society, and they do especially urge the ministers and elders of this Church, to use their influences to keep our members from an incorporation with them."

Took up the report of the Committee on Education. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON EDUCATION.

The Board of Education represents the important department of the Church's work under its care, as in a prosperous condition. The funds placed at the disposal of the Board, have been most carefully employed in helping needy and worthy young men forward in their preparation for the gospel ministry.

The demands of the Church for laborers, is only partially met. Our Home Mission Board comes far behind in answering the calls coming from Presbyteries for ministerial help. Hence the importance of sustaining well the work advanced by the Board of Education.

During the past year, thirty-six young men have received pecuniary aid from this Board. Twenty-three of these young men are attending Theological Seminaries, and thirteen are still attending Colleges.

In view of the limited amount of funds now in its Treasury, and the work it is expected to perform, this Board asks a liberal share of the Church funds for the ensuing year.

We recommend the following action:

Resolved, 1st. That six thousand dollars be appropriated to the use of the Board of Education for the year.

Resolved, 2d. That Alexander Young, D.D., and Hugh Nash, Esq., whose term of office now expires, be re-elected members of the Board, and that Rev. J. A. Reynolds be elected to fill the place made vacant by the retirement of Rev. J. A. Edie.

Resolved, 3d. That Articles 3d and 4th of the By-Laws, as amended by the Board, be published with the minutes of this Assembly.

Resolved, 4th. That the Assembly request the educational Institutions of the Church, to respond to the series of questions addressed to them by the Board of Education.

The Articles above referred to, as amended, are as follows:

ART. III.—GRANTS OF MONEY.

1. Other things being equal, application in behalf of students, shall have preference according to their advancement in their course of study.

2. The General Assembly has ordered the use of three series of questions, viz.: The first to be answered by the Presbytery to which the applicant belongs; the second by his instructors, literary or theological, and the third by himself. The one answered by the applicant, should be sent to his Presbytery and retained by it, the other two should be sent to the Secretary of the Board.

3. When a young man who has already been received as a beneficiary, is recommended by his Presbytery for renewed assistance, an official statement to the effect that the applicant is recommended as before, will be sufficient. This shall be done every year that aid is granted.

4. The Assembly forbids that grants exceeding two hundred dollars per annum, shall be made to any one individual. Owing to scarcity of funds, the Board does not, under any ordinary circumstances, grant more than one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, except that seniors in college may receive twenty-five dollars extra, to be paid in connection with the last enstallment. No one shall receive more than one thousand dollars in the aggregate.

5. Grants shall be due, and payable to theological students in three installments, viz.: One-third on the 1st of September; one-third on the 1st of December, and one-third on the 1st of March; and to literary students, in four installments; one-fourth on each of the days mentioned, and one-fourth on the 1st of June.

6. Beneficiaries shall give obligations of the following tenor:

"I have received from the Board of Education, of the United Presbyterian Church of North America, ——— dollars; and I hereby agree, that if I do not, in due course of time, enter the ministry of the United Presbyterian Church, or do, at any time, voluntarily abandon the same, the sum above mentioned shall then become due and payable at the pleasure of the Board, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from date."

7. "While in all ordinary cases, the Presbytery must, in the very nature of the case, be responsible for the character of the beneficiaries of the Board, and while *Presbyteries are most urgently solicited to exercise great care* to recommend only such young men as have the prescribed qualifications; yet the Board shall not knowingly furnish aid to any young man who lacks the prescribed qualifications, even though he be recommended by a Presbytery." (Act of the Assembly, 1861.)

ART. IV.—OF WARRANTS, NOTES, &C.

1. At each quarterly meeting, a warrant on the Treasurer, signed by the President and Secretary, authorizing him to pay to parties therein named, the sums set opposite to their names, shall be made out.

2. The Treasurer shall pay the sums named in the warrants, as therein directed, and take notes from beneficiaries, and receipts from all other persons to whom money may be paid. The appropriations to beneficiaries, together with notes ready for signature, shall be remitted to the presiding officers of the institutions, at which they may be in attendance, who are expected to pay out the same, secure the signatures of beneficiaries to the notes, and re-

turn the same to the Treasurer without unnecessary delay. The warrants of the Board, together with the receipts and notes, shall constitute the vouchers of the Treasurer.

3. The Treasurer shall submit to the Board at each quarterly meeting, a statement of the receipts from the several Presbyteries during the quarter immediately preceding, and of the balance in the Treasury, subject to the order of the Board.

4. At each May meeting an auditing committee shall be appointed, who shall serve for one year. The Treasurer, at the close of each quarter, counting from May 1st, shall submit his books and vouchers for the quarter then closing, to the auditing committee, who shall examine and report on the same to the Board at its next quarterly meeting.

At the close of the financial year, the Treasurer shall submit his annual report to the General Assembly to the same Committee, who shall return the same with their certificate to the Board at its May meeting.

The Treasurer shall publish, at the close of each quarter, in the United Presbyterian and Christian Instructor, a detailed statement of his receipts during the quarter preceding.

Took up the report of the Committee on the Support of the Gospel. The report was adopted and is as follows:

REPORT ON GOSPEL SUPPORT.

The Special Committee to which was referred the report of the Committee appointed by the last General Assembly to prepare and publish a plan for "the systematic support of the Gospel by the entire membership of the Church," would respectfully report:

That in making their report they agree in regard to the following positions:

1. That the act of giving on the part of a member of the Church, is not only a religious duty, but an act of worship, as appears from the example of Abraham, Gen. 14:20; of Jacob, Gen. 28: 20—22, for the institution of tithes under the Levitical dispensation,—as also from the declaration of Paul, Heb. 13. 16.

2. That this duty and grace of giving should be exercised by the poor in their poverty, and by the rich in their abundance; their poor widow bringing her offering, and the rich casting their gifts into the treasury of their abundance. "Freely ye have received, freely give." "Ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich."

3. That every member of the Church, *at stated times*, should have the opportunity and be called upon to contribute to the support and spread of the gospel. "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings when I come."

Agreeing upon these propositions we offer the following resolutions.

1st. That the plan reported by the Committee appointed at the last Assembly, for the systematic support of the gospel by the entire membership of the Church be published in the Minutes for the information of the Churches.

2d. That in those Congregations where no efficient plan has been adopted for calling out, at stated periods, this grace by all the members of the Church; the Assembly recommend the adoption of the plan of the Committee, with such modifications, should any be required, as may adapt it to the circumstances of the different Congregations.

3d. That the Assembly considers it of the highest concern that every congregation should be so organized that, so far as practicable, there should be an equal flow of money into the various treasuries of the Church at all seasons of the year.

The paper referred to on the above report, is as follows:

The Committee appointed by the last General Assembly to prepare and publish a plan for the systematic support of the gospel, by the entire membership of the United Presbyterian Church, would respectfully present the following:

RULES FOR THE USE OF CONGREGATIONS.

1. Let the Congregation select for Treasurer the most efficient business man—the best accountant they have.

2. Let the Trustees at the annual meeting furnish the Congregation with a careful estimate, in detail, of the amount of money necessary to defray the entire expenses for the ensuing year; also, let the Clerk of Session, at this same meeting, furnish a statement of the average amount each member is expected to contribute to the various Boards and Funds of the Church. This information he can obtain from the Financial Agent of the Presbytery.

3. Let the Clerk of Session furnish the Treasurer with a complete copy of his roll of members; correcting the same from time to time as changes occur.

4. During the first week of each year, and in case of new members, whenever they have taken their places in the Church, let the Treasurer furnish each member with two cards (2x3½ inches will be found a convenient size,) and twelve envelopes of corresponding size, with the following endorsements:

On one side of the cards:

CONGREGATIONAL EXPENSES.—187... I will pay.....cts. per day, monthly .....Name. "God is my helper."

On the other side of the cards:

BOARDS AND FUNDS.—187... I will pay.....cts. per day, monthly. .....Name. "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

On all the envelopes the name of the member receiving them, the words, "Congregational Expenses," and the words, "Boards and Funds." For small Congregations these cards and envelopes may be written, but for larger ones they may be printed, at the option of the Treasurer.

5. Let each recipient, after a prayerful and conscientious consideration of the matter, sign both cards, designating such an amount as he or she may feel able to give, and at the close of each month (counting thirty days for a month,) enclose the requisite amount in the envelope; enclosing also, with the first contribution for the year, one of the cards for the use of the Treasurer, and forward to the Treasurer through the congregational collection, or in whatever way seems most convenient.

6. Upon the return of the above mentioned cards, let the Treasurer open an account in an ordinary ledger, with each member charging said member with the entire amount subscribed for the year, and giving credit with each month's payment when made.

7. Any member shall have the privilege of designating by an endorsement upon the envelope any certain Boards or Funds to which his or her contribution, or any part thereof, shall be appropriated, and all moneys not thus appropriated shall be distributed by the Session of the Congregation, in accordance with the rules now govering such funds in the United Presbyterian Church.

8. Let all moneys received for Congregational expenses be under the control of and accounted for by the Trustees of the Congregation.

9. Each member is expected to preserve carefully the envelopes and one card; and the number of envelopes on hand will indicate the number of payments yet to be made for the year.

Took up the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures on various subjects. These reports were severally considered and adopted, and are as follows:

ON TRANSFER OF MINNESOTA PRESBYTERY.

On the memorial from the Synod of Illinois recommending the transfer of the Presbytery of Minnesota from the jurisdiction of said Synod to that of the Synod of Iowa; which change has been requested by said Presbytery on the plea of economy of distance and expense. We would present, for adoption, the following resolution:

Resolved, That the prayer of the memoralists be granted, and the desired transfer be, and hereby is, made.

ON LICENSING STUDENTS.

On the memorial from the Presbytery of Mercer, on the time of licensing students of theology, we think no recommendation from us to be necessary as this subject has been fully and ably presented to your consideration in the report of the Committee on Theological Seminaries.

ON SUSTENTATION AND DELEGATE'S FUNDS.

On the memorials from the Presbyteries of Le Claire and Western Missouri, asking you to establish a General Delegate Fund.

And on the memorials from the Synod of Iowa and from the Presbyteries of Western Missouri and Philadelphia, suggesting the creation of a Sustentation Fund, your Committee would present the following:

WHEREAS, the changes you are, by these memorials, requested to make in the financial workings of the whole Church are of a grave and important character, and should not be made until the people are in some good degree prepared to understand and approve them, and to work in harmony with them. And, Whereas, the policy of establishing these funds has not been so generally or as fully considered by our Presbyteries and Synods, nor presented to the consideration of our people through the papers of the Church: And, Whereas, the wisdom of establishing one of said funds, (Sustentation,) is being tried by the Presbyterian Church of the United States, and by its success or failure among them, we may be able to judge more accurately of its probable workings in our own Church, if established, therefore

Resolved, That we deem it inexpedient to establish either of these funds at the present time.

Resolved, That a Committee of one member from each Synod be appointed to whom all the papers relating to these subjects shall be referred, and whose duty it shall be to consider these subjects carefully, and report to the next General Assembly; and also to publish their report in the papers of the Church, at least three months before the meeting of the Assembly.

The following persons were appointed the Committee contemplated in the foregoing report on the Sustentation and Delegate Funds—namely: Rev. R. B. Ewing, of the Synod of Pittsburgh; Rev. W. W. Barr, of the Synod of New York; Rev. J. H. Pressly, D.D., of the First Synod of the West; Rev. R. H. Pollock, D.D., of the Synod of Ohio; Rev. John McMaster, D.D., of the Second Synod; Rev. Alex. Young, D.D., of the Synod of Illinois; Rev. R. A. McAyeal, of the Synod of Iowa, and Rev. B. L. Baldridge, of the Synod of Kansas.

Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. J. A. Leiper.

2:30 o'clock, P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. R. B. Taggart. Minutes of the last Session read and approved.

The Committee on Statistics presented a report, which was put on the docket.

A paper containing resolutions, on the subject of Temperance, was presented and put on the docket.

The report of the Judiciary Committee on a memorial of Rev. G. M. Wylie, was presented and put on the docket.

Took up the report of the Committee on Sabbath Schools. The report was amended and adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

The only paper submitted to us, is the report of the Permanent Committee. This we find to be so complete and satisfactory, that we return the report to the Assembly with these recommendations:

Resolved, That the report of the Permanent Committeee be adopted, except resolution 8th, which shall be stricken out and 7th and 10th be changed so as to read as follows:

7th. That contributions should be made in all the schools weekly.

10th. That a permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools be appointed by this Assembly.

And the 3d resolution be referred to the Permanent Committee, to report thereon to the next General Assembly.

The Permanent Committee of last year was re-appointed for the ensuing year, Rev. W. W. Barr, Chairman.

Took up the order of the day—namely: the consideration of the report of the Committee on Publication. Mr. James McCandless tendered his resignation as Treasurer of the Board of Publication. The resignation was accepted, with the thanks of the Assembly for his services. So much of the report as refers to the codifying of the enactments of the various General Assemblies, and publishing them in a book, was referred to the Board of Publication, to report next year. The report was amended, and with the aforesaid exception, was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON PUBLICATION.

The Committee on Publication would respectively report, that having examined the report of the Board, they find its financial condition to be encouraging. The net amount of the Bible Fund being $69,899.34, and that of the Publication Fund, $19,184.82 making a total of $89,084 a gain of $10,901, since report of last year; of this increase, $6,961.38 is from the business profits, and the balance from donations.

This Board is doing a good work, and we recommend that the Assembly make the same appropriation for its support that was made last year, viz.: $6,000.

As the Board, under the direction of the Assembly, is publishing an edition of the Standards of the Church, together with the Rules of Order, we recommend that the Assembly instruct the Board to collect all such enactments of the General Assembly as pertain to the Government, and discipline of the Church, and insert them in such of these books as may be issued hereafter.

We also recommend that the Board be instructed to publish 4,000 copies of the Minutes of the Assembly, to be sold at their store room at 20 cents per copy, or 25 cents if sent by mail, according to the act of last year.

In view of the importance of having the Minutes extensively circulated throughout the Church, we recommend that hereafter Congregations be called upon to report through their Presbyteries to each General Assembly, the num-

ber of copies they wish to obtain; and that Presbyteries be instructed to use their influence to have the Minutes extensively circulated in their bounds.

We recommend the re-election of Rev. J. G. Brown, D.D., Rev. J. C. Boyd and James McCandless, Esq.

In regard to the paper put into our hands asking for a Committee to revise the Constitutions of the Boards, we would recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee be raised composed of the Corresponding Secretaries of the several Boards, together with one other member of each Board, the persons to be designated by the Boards themselves—whose duty it shall be to ascertain whether any change or modification on the Constitutions of the Boards is necessary to bring them into harmony with each other, and with the present necessities and plans of working, and, if so, what these changes should be, and report to the next General Assembly for their consideration.

Resolved, That a Special Committee consisting of William Getty, William E. Brown, and James Bain, be appointed to examine the affairs of the Board of Publication, and report particularly as to the value of the real estate, the value and condition of the stock on hand, books, stereotype plates, &c., the outstanding debts, the amount of the same considered good, and such other matters as may be connected with the business of the Board.

The following resolution, offered by Dr. Dales and Mr. Hanna, was adopted.

WHEREAS the Presbyterian Historical Society has long been engaged in collecting books, pamphlets, manuscripts, &c., of the various branches of the Presbyterian Church, and whereas the United Presbyterian Church has been represented in its councils since its organization; therefore,

Resolved, That a copy of each of the publications of our Board of Publication, be presented to this Society to be preserved in its collection.

Took up the report of the Committee on the Memorial of Mr. Jas. McCandless, in relation to a Superanuated Ministers' Fund. The report was amended and adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' FUND.

The Memorial submitted to the Committee, suggests the constitution of a permanent Board who shall take charge of this fund, and that any person who contributes to this fund not less than one thousand dollars, shall be a life member of the Board. Your Committee, therefore, submit the following for your consideration:

Resolved, 1st. That such a Board be now constituted by this Assembly.

Resolved, 2d. That this Board shall consist of nine corporate members—namely: Rev. J. B. Dales, D. D., John Alexander, and William Getty, to continue in office three years; Henry Harrison, James McCandless and James Brown, to continue for two years; and J. P. Hanna, Thomas Stinson and Rev. W. W. Barr, for one year; who shall meet and organize at such time as they may agree upon.

The General Assembly shall fill vacancies as they occur.

Resolved, 3d. That the Board be authorized to obtain a charter of incorporation, and to receive subscriptions, and donations and bequests.

Resolved, 4th. That all the details of the organization, the plan of working, and the conditions of aid to be granted, be referred to the Board to be matured, and with instructions to report to the next Assembly.

Took up the report of the Committee of last Assembly, on Legacies. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON LEGACIES.

All legacies or bequests left to the General Assembly, or any of the Boards of the Church, should be held as sacred trusts, and used or disposed of only as directed by the Testator; but when left (as is frequently the case) without specific directions to the Trustees of Assembly, or the Boards of the Church, such bequests may be used temporarily, until the next meeting of General Assembly, when all such legacies, together with all the facts connected with the same, shall be reported to the Assembly, and be subject to its direction and order.

The Committee would also express the opinion, that unless urgent exigencies require the immediate use of bequests, they should be invested in undoubted securities, and the interest only used.

Took up the report of the Committee on Statistics. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON STATISTICS.

Statistical tables in a new and improved form, have been received from each of the Presbyteries in the Church. Most of these tables have been prepared with care, and, as far as your Committee can judge, are for the most part correct; still some of them are incomplete, and are not free from inaccuracies.

Great credit is due to Clerks of Presbyteries, for the diligence they have shown, and the success they have attained in presenting the statistics of the Church, in a form so full and complete.

A full summary of the statistics for the present year, will be found in the appendix. Your Committee would offer the following:

Resolved, That the statistical year close on the 31st day of March, and that sessions be required to forward their statistical tables to the Clerks of Presbyteries as soon as possible after that date, that the Second Clerk may have time to prepare a full report.

The Moderator, in the name of members of the Assembly and other friends, presented to Rev. J. S. Barr, a roll of money, as a token of their regard for him, and appreciation of his labors as a missionary.

Took up the paper on the Liquor Trafic. The paper was adopted, and is as follows:

Whereas the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors is a great evil, detrimental to christianity, morality, and the general elevation of the human race; and, Whereas the occasional or habitual use of alcoholic liquor of any kind as a beverage, is the path that leads to the highway of drunkenness, and is a pernicious example to the youth, and a stumbling block in the way of many; therefore,

Resolved, 1st. That the Church is essentially a temperance society, and her members should use all their influence for the suppression of the liquor traffic, and encouragement should be given to all those who, by lawful means, are laboring to accomplish this great and noble result.

Resolved, 2d. That it is the imperative duty of all the followers of Christ to abstain from the use of intoxicating drinks of every kind, and that such abstinance is necessary to a consistent Christian life.

Took up the report of the Judiciary Committee on the Memorial of Rev. G. M. Wylie. Pending the discussion of the report, the Assembly adjourned. Closed with prayer by Rev. Dr. Kerr.

7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Assembly met. Opened with prayer by Rev. W. L. Wallace. Minutes of the last Session were read and approved.

Resumed the consideration of the report of the Judiciary Committee on the Memorial of Rev. G. M. Wylie. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

REPORT ON THE MEMORIAL OF REV. GEO. M. WILEY.

The memorialist claims that the result of the action of the Assembly of last year, in the case of James M. Hall was to send the case back to the Synod of New York for adjudication:

That the Synod of New York has refused to take up and issue the case.

The memorialist asks that the Assembly require the Synod of New York to take up the case for final adjudication.

From an examination of the action of the Assembly of last year, your Committee do not understand said action as referring the case back to the Synod for final adjudication; therefore,

Resolved, That the request of the memoralist be not granted.

The following resolution, offered by Rev. W. S. Owens, was adopted—namely:

Resolved, That the Permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools, be directed to follow, in the discharge of their duties, the instructions given by former Assemblies.

The following resolution, offered by Rev. R. B. Taggart and W. A. McConnel, was adopted—namely:

Resolved, That we, as members, elders and ministers of the United Presbyterian Church, in our several spheres, co-operate by prayer and labor, to raise high the standard of truth for which we witness in our testimony; and earnestly endeavor to realize more and more in the actual life of our Church, as composed of members, eldership and ministry, and to propagate, by all lawful and judicious means, what we believe to be the only true and consistent exposition of Christian faith and worship.

Took up the reports on the Scripture Law of Divorce, referred by the last Assembly to this Assembly. The consideration of these reports was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Dr. Dales, the Rev. D. R. Kerr, D.D,, was added to the commission to visit the foreign Churches with which we are in correspondence.

On motion of Rev. H. Gordon, the Moderator and Clerks were authorized to fill any vacancies that may occur in the commission to foreign Churches.

The Committee on Devotional Exercises, offered the following, which was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That Rev. R. B. Ewing, of Pittsburgh, be appointed the Moderator's alternate to preach the sermon at the opening of the next General Assembly.

Revs. Dr. Wallace and Prof. J. C. Hutchison, were appointed a Committee to secure a reduction of railroad fare for the benefit of the delegates to the next General Assembly.

The following persons were appointed as a Committee on Credentials for the next Assembly—namely: Revs. D. M. Ure and J. G. Barnes.

The following resolutions were adopted—namely:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Assembly are due, and are hereby tendered, to the Moderator, for the able, courteous, and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office.

Resolved, That we tender our hearty thanks to the people of the United Presbyterian Church in the city of Philadelphia, by whom we have been so warmly received, and so generously entertained during the sittings of the Assembly.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly be given to the reporters of the daily papers, and to the agent of the associated press, for their attendance and for their faithful reports of the proceedings.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly be given to the Pennsylvania Central, and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroads, for their favors granted to the members of the Assembly in the reduction of fares.

Minutes of this Session were read and approved.

The following resolution, offered by Revs. D. F. Reid and D. R. Kerr, D.D., was adopted—namely:

Resolved, That this General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church be now dissolved, and that another Assembly, similarly constituted, be called to meet in the First Church of Monmouth, Ill., on the fourth Wednesday of May, 1874, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

The Principal Clerk led in prayer, Psalm 133 was sung by the Assembly, and the Apostolic benediction pronounced by the Moderator.

J. Y. SCOULLER, *Moderator.*
J. T. COOPER, *Principal Clerk.*

APPENDIX.

REPORT OF BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

I. THE WORK.

Our Foreign Missions are, in the order of their founding, in Syria, India, Egypt and China, with their leading centres at Damascus, in Syria; Sealkote and Gujranwalla, in India; Alexandria and Cairo, in Lower Egypt, and Osiout, in Upper Egypt; and at Canton, in China. In these missions there are 21 stations and outstations, 15 licensed and ordained American missionaries, 22 American female missionaries, 1 printer, 2 physicians, 97 native ordained ministers and teachers, 18churches and 563 communicants, 21 schools and 2,322 scholars. $4,680.24 were contributed by the native churches in Egypt, and there are about $100,000 of mission property. From the press in Egypt 298,000 pages of printed matter, in books, tracts, &c., were issued.

II. FUNDS.

The whole amount in the Treasury on entering upon the year, May 1st, 1872, was $10,716.29. The amount contributed from all sources during the year ending April 30th, 1873, was $50,646,60, of which $3,132.85 were from legacies and bequests, and $2,233.99 from Sabbath schools, making a total in the Treasury of $61, 362.89. The amount allowed at the last Assembly for this work was $54,239; but the whole amount actually contributed being only $50,646.60 there was an actual deficit of $3,592,40. The expenditures amounted to $55,164.39, leaving a balance in hand from the whole amount received of $6,192.50—a sum which, it pains the Board to say, is not sufficient to meet our actual indebtedness at this time.

One of the most painful features of our financial condition is that, through the delay of congregations to make contributions for this cause until near the close of the year, there was a period of several months when the Treasury was often overdrawn, and in some cases our foreign missionaries had to borrow money at the rate of 12 per cent. interest. Surely, this ought not to be.

To obviate a necessity for this by the missionaries, the Board are projecting a plan to have this money borrowed, if it must be borrowed at all, here, at the usual rates, rather than among the heathen, and at those high rates. In that case all will see the necessity, in all duty and honor, to have moneys regularly placed in the treasury, to meet any such obligations, if they have to be assumed.

In the mission of Egypt the management of the financial concerns and the book operations has become so weighty, that it has been strongly urged that a man be appointed to this work, who shall also be charged with the general secular interests of the mission. It is stated that such a person could enter upon the work without having to wait to acquire the language, and with such a man in charge, each missionary would be free to be wholly devoted to his proper missionary work.

III. MISSIONARY PREMISES AND PROPERTY.

During the year the premises desired for the service of the missionary and his work in Canton, China, have been completed through the laborious and careful attention of the Rev. J. C. Nevin, and are in good condition for his dwelling.

In India, the summer residence at Dharmsala, on the hills, has been placed in good order, and has done and promises to do very important service in protecting and recuperating our missionaries during the hot season. It is, however, a matter of regret that at Gujranwalla the buildings so long needed, both for the safe and healthful residence of the missionaries, and for the purposes of their work, are still unfinished and unfit to be occupied In the great necessity of the case, the mission have resolved to prosecute the work to an immediate completion, even if they have to borrow the money for it. No estimate has been sent by the mission for it, and

therefore, no provision has been made. Most earnestly do the Board urge that the Assembly will now make an appropriation for this important work.

The property at Bludan, on Mt. Lebanon, about eight hours from Damascus, has been used for many years, through the generosity of its owner, the Rev. Dr. Lansing, without any cost to the church, by the missionaries both of our Syrian and Egyptian fields. It having become necessary, however, to have it disposed of, and it being certified that from its high situation and salubrious atmosphere, it was important as a place of resort during the hot season for our missionaries, both in Syria and in Egypt, the Board, after much consultation, have purchased it at a cost of $1,200, and have paid $500 on the sale. This property has already proved itself valuable as a missionary *Sanitarium.*

IV. MISSIONARIES.

In July last, the Rev. Dr. Hogg and wife, having completed their visit to this country, sailed from our shores, and after stopping for their family at Scotland, set forward again, and reached their field in September. In June last, the Rev. Dr. Barnett and family were compelled to leave their station in Cairo in consequence of their enfeebled condition, and most of the time since have been sojourning in Europe, in the hope of being benefited, both by the change of climate and the enjoyment of valuable medical and surgical attention. During last summer, the Rev. J. P. McKee and family, in India, were very seriously afflicted with sickness for some time, and Miss Calhoun also was in a feeble state; but it is gratefully mentioned that all these persons are now in an improved state. In the India mission, Mrs. Scott, widow of the late Rev. G. W Scott, native missionary, has departed this life; and the Rev. Jas. S. Barr, after about twelve years' thorough devotion to his work, has been constrained to seek a change, and now, with his family, is now on his way to our country. This missionary deserves the welcome and the rest of the veteran and worn soldier returning from the field of many a hard exposure and toil.

V. NEW MISSIONARIES.

On the 24th of August last, the Rev. A. H. Rule and wife sailed from NewYork for the mission in Egypt. On the 2d of the following November, Rev. J. F. Patterson, M. D, and wife sailed for Damascus, Syria, and Miss Maggie A. Smith accompanied them as far as Egypt. All these persons were appointed at the last Assembly, and the Board are happy to know that they have reached their fields, and have entered upon their great preparatory work under encouraging auspices.

VI. MISSIONS.—SYRIA.

This mission was established at Damascus in 1843 by the Presbyterian Church of Ireland, and since 1845 has been jointly occupied by that church and our own. In it there are seven stations that are occupied, viz: Nebk, Deir Atiyeh, Yabrud, Rasheiya, Ain esh-Sha'rah, Ma'arra and Bludan. Including Damascus there are native church members in six of these places, and schools in all of them but one. The whole number of communicants is 60, and of pupils under instruction 306, of whom 295 are in the day school, and 11 in Boarding school. The total of laborers in this mission is two missionaries with their wives, and 16 native teachers and helpers. Five native converts united with the church at Damascus during the year, and four at Deir Atiyeh.

In this mission preaching is kept up at Damascus, and in all the stations as far as possible, and the attendance has been regular and good. In the schools a good work has been done. The action of the last Assembly in recommending the establishment of Literary and Theological Institutes in Damascus, as had been done at Osiout, in Egypt, was hailed with real satisfaction, and already the foundation is well laid in the arrangements and studies of the school for all that is intended by this important movement. Most pressingly is some suitable apparatus for such a school called for, and the Board have included it in the appropriations asked for from the Assembly. The return for this in enabling the mission to raise up native teachers for its schools, and evangelists and pastors for its churches and stations, is sure and invaluable.

The following summary of this mission from the beginning has just been made by one of the missionaries, and is interesting:

There are in all, of communicants and adherents, about three hundred and fifty in connection with this mission, who call themselves and are recognized as Protestants; ninety-three have been received by the mission as communicants—eighty-eight of them on examination, five on certificate. Of these two have abandoned

their profession; two were murdered in the massacre of 1860; eight have died; one has been suspended, and seventeen have removed and been certified to other Protestant churches in Syria and Egypt; seventeen infants have been baptized, and nineteen marriage ceremonies have been performed. The first child baptized by the mission is now a well educated physician, just beginning to get a fine practice in Damascus, and is a much more regular attendant at public service than most of our United Presbyterian physicians at home.

The present need of our mission seems to me to be a girl's school in Damascus, and an efficient American lady for Superintendent.

This mission continues its pleasant co-operation in the labor and expense of the work with the Presbyterian Church of Ireland, and thus the burden of carrying on the mission is lightened, while its efficiency and usefulness are increased. It grieves the Board, however, to have to record the fact that during the past year the Rev. J. O. Scott, one of the devoted missionaries of that church in this field, departed this life; yet it is gratifying to know that there are hopes that his place will, ere long, be supplied by the Irish Board.

The Rev. Mr. Crawford, who has so long labored alone for our church in this field, has felt his heart greatly encouraged and his hands strengthened by the arrival of the Rev. J. F. Patterson, M. D., and wife, to be his fellow-laborers; and probably at no time in its history has this mission had brighter prospects than at the present. Only let it have needful help, and abounding good will result.

EGYPT.

This mission was formally commenced in Cairo in 1855, and after being established in Alexandria in 1857, it has thence gradually extended until it embraces at present the following leading points or centres, viz: in the order of their location, Alexandria, Monsura, Cairo, The Fayoum, Osiout, Moteah, Nakhayleh and Koos. At each of these points there is a church, having in all 431 communicants, and an increase during the past year of 92 by profession, and 8 by certificate. In the nine leading schools there are 1,015 scholars, of whom 605 are males, and 410 are females. The spirit of benevolence and of effort on behalf of the Gospel and their own improvement has been happily seen among the native converts in this mission during the year. Their contributions amounted to $2,139.50; tuition fees, $1,246.24; and their building fund $1,294.50—being a total of $4,680.24. In this mission the number of laborers at the present time is 7 ministers with their wives, one physician and wife, 5 female missionaries, 2 native ministers, 1 native licentiate, and 52 native helpers—being a total of 78 laborers in this field. The printing press has sent out 298,000 pages of useful religious reading matter during the year.

The following particulars of the different stations are worthy of notice:

ALEXANDRIA—In this city, the population though reported over 300,000, is more foreign than in any city of Egypt; and, as is often the case with seaport towns, the field is, therefore, more difficult to cultivate. Messrs. D. Strang and S. C. Ewing have been the permanent laborers here, having the oversight of the native church, superintending the schools and the printing press and conducting the financial affairs of the mission. Miss Campbell also had efficient charge, most of the year of the girl's school. Divine service has been held twice every Sabbath by the resident missionaries, aided during the session of the Theological Seminary by some of the other missionaries. All the students, also, had an opportunity of exercising here their gifts, in carefully-prepared discourses, subject to the faithful supervision of the missionaries. Three new members were added to the church here on the profession of their faith.

The schools in Alexandria have been regularly carried on—the boys' school having 133 names on its roll, and the girls' 127. The boys were made up principally of Christians and Moslems; the girls of Greeks, Jewesses, Copts, Maronites, Moslems, Romanists, Armenians and Protestants. For the support of the girls' school the Ladies' Missionary Society of Paisley, Scotland, generously gave again £55. During the year these schools received a total amount of $343.24 for tuition fees.

The press in this city, under the laborious supervision of Mr. Strang, has issued in all 298,000 pages. Its publications have been of a timely and valuable character, and their general circulation will, it is believed, do great good. At the book depot here 954 volumes were sold.

Besides having the pastoral charge of the congregation in this city, which opens a great and important field for all a missionary's time and labor, the Rev. Mr. Ewing has been burdened with the general treasurership of the whole mission in Egypt. It has been a heavy and exhausting tax upon him, and he has painfully felt that it could not but seriously interfere with the great duties he owed as a missionary of the Gospel to the immortal souls around him.

MONSURA —In this city, which contains about 40,000 inhabitants, Rev. Andrew Watson and the native minister, Rev. Makhiel El Beliane, have been the missionaries. The Word has been regularly preached, prayer-meetings have been held, boys' and girls' school have been carried on—the latter mainly under Miss Anna Y. Thompson, who has been assigned to this place. Mrs. Watson and Miss Thompson have also spent considerable time, and with gratifying results, in visiting the women from house to house, and teaching them to read the Holy Scriptures. During the year 868 volumes have been disposed of at the book depot, and thus good seed has been cast abroad.

CAIRO—In this city, Revs. Dr. Barnett and Lansing have had the missionary charge. But in consequence of the enfeebled state of Dr. Barnett's health, and especially of the distressing condition of Mrs. Barnett through chronic neuralgic ophthalmia, he was led, under the direction of physicians, and with the consent of the mission, to leave for Europe early after the last meeting of the Assembly, and thus has not been able to attend to his usual duties. Dr. Lansing had to be with the students of the Theological class for some time at Ramleh, and just as he returned was nearly fatally prostrated with an attack of pneumonia. Ibrahim Yusef, also, was for a long time in such a low state of health that he could not accept the call which had been pressed on him to take the pastoral charge of the native church in Cairo.

Under all these circumstances, the mission in this city has been tried. Yet the work was efficiently carried on, and has many cheering tokens for good. Twelve new members have been added to the church. Stated services have been held in the Arabic and Armenian congregations. The schools have been regularly conducted, and each day the Bible was thoroughly read and expounded. In the boys' school, the number enrolled was 137, and the average attendance was 114. There were also two girls' schools, under the care of Miss Johnston, and she has had much encouragement in her work.

Among the women, also, in this city, much good has been done. Mrs. Lansing has given several days in the week, when she was able, to this work, and Miss Johnston and some of the older girls of her school have been engaged in it as far as their other duties would allow. Thus many women, who could not have been reached in any other way, have often had the scriptures read to them, and in many instances they have been taught to read. Sixty-five women are now under such instruction.

During six months and a half of the year, 1,158 volumes were distributed from the Book Department of this mission. The sum contributed by the native church in this place for religious purposes was $654.81, or an average of $11.29 per member.

THE FAYOUM.—The mission here as its most important part in Sinoris. The Rev. William Harvey has been the missionary. In this place, preaching, a Sabbath school and Bible class services have been regularly held, and on four week-day evenings the people held meetings for studying the scriptures and for prayer. The boys' and girls' schools have been regularly kept up, and a part of every day's exercises in them was a course of instruction in the word of God. Very happy results have followed the efforts here to reach the women. During the year eight women were received into the church in Sinoris on profession of their faith, and of the nineteen women now in the membership of the church, sixteen have thus learned to read.

At Medeenet, also, the means of grace have been regularly dispensed; and several places in the vicinity, such as Roda, Suft, Tanea, Sanhoor, and others, have been visited, and it is believed there is rich fruit in them all, if it cculd only be gathered.

Fifteen persons were received into the church in this station, on extended examinations and the profession of their faith in Christ,—two being from Tanea, four from Roda, and nine from Sinoris. A great need here is a place of worship, the house having become altogether too small. The people here, with a truly noble spirit, purchased an eligible lot, and are straining every nerve to provide the material for the structure, earnestly hoping that their brethren in Christian churches in Europe and the United States will help them. It is a worthy case.

This congregation during the past year, contributed $241.00,—$57.00 being by weekly collections, and $184.00 for the church building. At this mission, also, 387 volumes of books were sold.

OSIOUT.—This leading town, in Upper Egypt, is the centre of a large mission field, and is of special interest in the missionary work. The permanent work here is done by the Rev. Dr. Hogg, Dr. Johnston, and Miss McKown, together with such help as Mrs. Hogg and Mrs. Johnston can render. The special points of labor are Osiout, Moteah, Nakhayleh, Bagore, and Dweyr, and in all these the

interest in religious things has been, and is, very great. By the members of the single church of Nakhayleh alone, *sixty-five* evangelistic services were held in the course of the year in the neighboring towns and villages. And throughout the entire year *thirty-eight* meetings for prayer, singing, and the study of the scriptures, were held *each week* in these several places. In all of these and kindred work in other villages, the Theological students did, and are doing, a great work. In Osiout, the one weekly meeting at the church was given up, that there might be six district meetings in different parts of the city, and each male member was urged to attend one of these as a regular member of it. On each evening the roll is called, and the happiest results follow. During the year forty-four native converts made public profession of their faith in Christ in this province, and now there is here a Protestant community of nearly 1,000 souls, and a membership in the churches of 239 communicants.

In these churches, also, as elsewhere in the Egyptian field, the spirit of native Christian benevolence has been well cultivated. During the year the contributions amounted to $816.51 in gold, and the sales of books reached a total of 1,789 volumes, being considerably more than double the sales five years since.

In all these places, careful attention has been paid to the forming and properly carrying on of schools. Besides the Academy or Institute in Osiout, there are six schools, viz: four for boys and two for girls. In the Institute, 31 pupils were on the roll. The actual attendance all the time was 25. This school Dr. Hogg opened every morning with religious exercises and systematic religious instruction. All the expenses of the primary school here the members of the native congregation have borne. Miss McKown has had charge of the girls' school and with much to encourage her. At Moteah, Nakhayleh, and Bagore, scarcely less interest has been manifested in teaching the young, and with no less gratifying results.

WORK AMONG THE WOMEN.—This work has continued to receive here special attention. Miss McKown has had it in special charge, and with assistants, has accomplished much. Over seventy women have not only been visited at their houses, but have been regularly taught to read. Most of these, with many others, have been induced to attend woman's meetings for prayer and the reading and studying of the word of God. Twenty-three are now able to read well, and daily do read more or less in the Holy Scriptures.

THE MEDICAL MISSION WORK.—This has been in the hands of Dr. Johnston. Every morning two hours are alloted to a Dispensary service, which is increasingly attended. In the room where patients wait, Bibles and religious tracts and books are placed, and these are largely read. In attending the sick, careful efforts are made to improve any opportunity of speaking for Christ and the soul, and thus this department of the work in Osiout is found to exert a most beneficial influence for the mission, and for the good of immortal souls.

THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—This very important part of the work in Egypt has been thoroughly attended to during the year. The session continued from the first of May to the last of September. In the studies, Dr. Lansing had his course of instruction in Hebrew and in the interpretation of scripture, Mr. Watson in Theology and the exposition of the Epistle to the Romans, Rev. S. C. Ewing in Pastoral Theology, and, when once each week exercises were heard in the delivery of sermons, reading the scriptures, and in elocution, Mr. Strang attended, so that all the missionaries in the vicinity were engaged in helping make this right-arm of the mission and of the church in Egypt the most efficient possible.

KOOS STATION.—This station, being further up the Nile, has not been as much under the influence of the mission as some other points, but by means of native helpers, mainly, has been made to enjoy many of the means of grace. Members from the church here have also, in that spirit that has largely marked many of the native converts in Egypt, gone out to other villages and places, and sought to make the gospel known. Thus even Luxor and Koorneh,—the sites of old Thebes, —have been visited, and, through the blessing of God upon the labors put forth, the light is beginning to shine in these long dark and needy places.

INDIA.

This mission has still its two leading stations at Sealkote aud Gujranwalla, and a minor, but important one, at Zafferwal. The Report, which we have, is for the year ending December 31st, 1872; and, while some changes have taken place, yet the assurance is confidently given us by our laborers that there is growing and encouraging evidence of substantial progress.

After many years of hard labor and exposure, Rev. James S. Barr and family, of this mission, are now seeking a respite for a time by a return to this country, that they may be recruited. After much deliberation, it was deemed best for the Board

to recall Miss M. E. Welsh, which action was taken on the 13th of August last. In regard to this step, the Board have only to say that, after long and minute correspondence and inquiry with all connected with the mission, it appeared there was an unhappy want of harmony and co-operation between Miss Welsh and the mission. And as she declined to take appointments from the mission, but asked the Board to assign her a separate and independent field of labor; as, too, with such feelings on her part, the mission declined to give her further appointments, and the Board, at this distance, could not undertake to do so, it seemed, the wisest and best course, every way, for the interest of the mission, and for the good name of our holy religion among the heathen, that the Board should pursue the course it did.

The one great need of this mission still is laborers, as was so much pressed by its different members in their Report to the General Assembly last year; that is, that re-inforcements shall be promptly sent forth to it, and be properly provided and sustained in their work. By Mr. Barr's necessary removal for a time, only two men, Revs. Samuel Martin and J. P. McKee, are in charge of all that important mission field. Most painfully do they feel the difficulty and responsibility of their position. Most earnestly have they again and again, throughout the whole year, made appeals for re-inforcement; and the Board are grieved to have to report to the Assembly that we have not been able to send a single man to their help. Most anxiously does the Board ask the Assembly to do something at this meeting, if it is possible, to meet the crying need.

SEALKOTE.—The missionary at this station is the Rev. Samuel Martin, together with his wife. With him there are a native head teacher, two Scripture readers, and one colporteur. In the native church at this place, there are 39 communicant members. The whole Christian community here is 70. Three adults and seven children were baptized during the year. Bazaar preaching has been faithfully carried on, five short itinerations were made out into various parts of the district, and the laborers were well received.

In the boys' school at this station, 281 scholars have been received, and 221 have regularly attended. Every day the Bible has been used in the school in connection with prayer and instruction. The girls' school has not been quite so prosperous; but there are encouraging evidences of the usefulness of the efforts to teach the female mind, and move and mould the female heart.

The Industrial School has not been in operation, but several of the men are allowed to continue some kinds of work, as they desire.

ZAFFERWAL.—This is a kind of out-station of Sealkote, and has two Scripture Readers. During the year one adult and two children were baptized here. The total number of communicants is nine, with a Christian community of sixteen.

GUJRANWALLA.—This station was the second opened in our India Mission, and is the central point in a district of about 800,000 inhabitants. The Rev. J. P. McKee and wife, and Rev. James S. Barr and wife, have had their principal residences and work in this station and vicinity during the year, and Miss Calhoun has had here a useful charge of the girls' schools. In the church at this station there are 20 communicants. In the schools there have been on the roll 459 pupils, and an average attendance each day of 381. In these schools the Bible is every day used, and earnest endeavors are made to reach the heart as well as the head of each scholar. Over the female schools, which are now nine in number, and in which thirteen native teachers were employed, Miss Calhoun has had the close supervision. Five days in the week these schools were open, and on each Saturday she assembled most of the teachers, with all the scholars, and had lessons in the Scriptures.

It is especially gratifying that at this station there are three young men, who were of the orphan boys' schools, who are now studying for the ministry, and in the course of a year one of them will probably be licensed to preach the Gospel to his benighted countrymen. This rallying of a native ministry for the work is a matter of great encouragement.

At this station the building for the residence of the missionary is erected and occupied; but the one for the chapel and schools is also imperatively needed. The site is secured, and the building is partially completed, but has been long stopped from want of funds. In view of its pressing importance, the Board have included the sum required to finish it in the appropriations asked of the Assembly, and earnestly urge that it be immediately finished.

GURDASPORE.—This is a new station, about 69 miles from Sealkote, on the way to the hills. It is in the midst of a district of over 1,000,000 people, and opens up most promising prospects, if it can only be attended to. A very eligible site has been secured for mission premises, at a cost of less than $100, and, every way, the field is white for the harvest.

Thus we have glanced at the India Mission. In a district of about three million of people, and left as it is by a kind of common consent largely to our church, with scarcely any means of grace except what we as a church take to them, the question of our responsibility is a fearful one. Will we meet it, and help save immortal souls alive? or neglect, and let them die? What will we do?

In regard to the work of our India Mission, one of the brethren in a recent communication solemnly says,—"If any one is inclined to feel dissatisfied with the progress of the mission, let him consider what good would be accomplished in America, in a town of 4,000 inhabitants, if they had but one sermon in a year, and no other religious instruction; and yet, with our present force, and the work we have on hand, we cannot visit each village in our district once in three years. We must have help from some source. It should come from our church."

CHINA.

In this vast field, with its hundreds of millions specially open to American Christianity, we have still but one missionary, the Rev. J. C. Nevin. The past year has been signally a year of labor with him. In a dilligent prosecution of his work of securing mission premises, he has suceeded in completing buildings with ample accommodations for one large family, or two small ones. And they are eligibly situated for health, and for convenience in regard to the work. The building of the school rooms and chapel has not been attempted yet. But every thing, as far as done, is such a relief from the long trying condition in which this missionary had been placed, as to be a source of real joy to him, and of increased zeal and devotion to his work.

The whole sum thus far expended on these buildings is $7,617.63. The remainder of the sum raised and sent out for building purposes will be carefully invested until the opportunity will occur for the completion of the school rooms and chapel.

In his report, Mr. Nevin mentions that on his leaving China to return to this country, as he did, in 1870, he deposited to the credit of the mission the sum of $851.74 in one house, and $106.25 in another,—a total of $957.99. And he calls the attention of the Board to the fact that a wrong impression has been made from the statement that about $4,000 were in Canton belonging to our mission. To this, the Board have only to say that it would in no way do injustice to any of its laborers abroad, or make any representations or statements not in exact accordance with what it believed were the facts. In this case, the Board believed that from funds,—say about $4,000,—which had been sent to Mr. Nevin, he had bought a site for the missionary premises; that on his purposing to return to this country he had asked the Board what he should do with the property and money; that the Board had directed him to sell the property and deposit the money in responsible hands, subject to the call of the Board; and that when he stated to us, as he did, that he had deposited the above sums of money, he had still the property unsold, and that thus there were in reality about $4,000 in Canton for our United Presbyterian mission. Such is the simple statement of the case as the Board regarded it.

In regard to this mission, it only remains to say, Mr. Nevin has not been without evidence of the presence and power of the Spirit of God. One person was led to profess conversion, and was baptized and received into the holy communion;—the precursor, it is fondly hoped, of a large and glorious gathering yet to be made into the fold of Christ from long benighted China.

A REVIEW.

The past year has been marked with some things of special interest:

I. THE DIVINE FAVOR.

The lives of all our missionaries have been spared; and though sickness and an enfeebled condition have marked some, yet it is hoped they are all now in improved health. Nearly all the native churches have had encouraging accessions to their membership of professed converts. In nearly every mission the number of schools, and of scholars in the schools, have increased, and earnest endeavors have continued to be made to have the Scriptures, which are daily read and studied, be savingly brought home to the hearts and minds of all pupils. And with the single exception of a painful delay in the churches to forward funds promptly to the treasurer until near the close of the ecclesiastical year, and of thus causing painful anxieties to the Board and to the missionaries, there has been a gratifying disposition manifested on the part of the friends of Christ to contribute for this great cause. Encouraging tokens have also been given of the Holy Ghost acompanying the Word read and taught, and preached among the heathen.

II. MISSIONARIES.

Including the return of the Rev. Dr. Hogg and family, there has been an addition to the working force during the year of seven persons, viz: Dr. and Mrs. Hogg, Rev. A. H. Rule and Wife, Dr. and Mrs. Patterson, and Miss M. A. Smith. Some, also, and especially devoted, Christian women here at home, are holding themselves ready for any call the church may make for their services in this great work.

With this gratifying statement, however, it should not be overlooked that some have been temporarily or entirely laid aside, such as Rev. Dr. Barnett and family since last June, and Rev. James S. Barr and family within the last few weeks, and several of our weak places have not been filled.

It is a painful fact that the mission in China is not any stronger now than it was ten years ago; and practically the mission in India is weaker, there being then three American and two native ordained missionaries in the field, and now only two American and one native. Surely, in a church that, like ours, has, under the blessing of God, extended itself and increased in worldly goods, and in moral and religious power and influence, it ought to have been that the number of laborers we have among the heathen had been greatly multiplied. Shall it not be so?

III. MISSIONARY FRIENDS.

The past year has continued to show the kindness of God in raising up valued and useful friends for our work, some of whom, the Board feel, should be specially mentioned. Among them are the following:

Mr. THOS. B. RICH, of New York, has most sedulously, and without any remuneration, continued to devote himself, as he had from the beginning of the history of this Assembly, to the management of the Foreign Missionary funds of the church; and in his kindness to our missionaries, and in the regularity and accuracy of his accounts, he has shown himself worthy of the lasting gratitude of our church.

Charles Arbuthnot, Esq., Pittsburgh, has three times during the year most liberally forwarded of his funds for the help of our foreign work, placing thus the munificient sum of $2,500 in our treasury for this purpose. May such noble generosity have its reward!

As Mr. John Curry, of New York, Samuel Finney, of Mansfield, Ohio, Thomas Wilson, Allegheny, Pa., J. P. Scott, of Philadelphia, and others have freely given each his hundred dollars or more, and some have volunteered the pledge that they will continue this gift annually as long as they live, it has been felt that the church has reason to thank God and take courage when her divine King and Head raises her up such friends and helpers!

Abroad, also, most pleasant tokens have been shown us for good:

With his usual enlarged and noble liberality, his Highness, Dhuleep Singh, of England, forwarded early in the year to the mission in Egypt his generous marriage donation of *one thousand pounds*—$5,000 in gold.

Mr. David Stuart, of Liverpool, has repeated during the year his great kindness to our missionaries as they have had to be in Liverpool. Mr. John Caldwell, of this city, has conferred special favors again upon us in aiding us in securing a very marked reduction in the passages of our missionaries by the Cunard Line of Steamships as far out as Alexandria, Egypt.

The different Societies, also, which have so often materially aided us in our work, have shown their usual generous and helpful kindness, and in the judgment of this Board the Assembly will honor itself in expressing its deep sense of the favors thus done us.

IV. CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Board are gratified at being able to express the opinion that the number of individuals and congregations contributing to this cause is steadily increasing each year, and there is the strongest ground for believing that if pastors and sessions will only bring our missions before their people with any thing like full information in regard to their number, their condition, their modes of operation, and the call for them in the different fields where they are placed, there would be no lack of offerings and of prayers for this cause. Most earnestly would the Board press this upon the attention of the Assembly.

SABBATH SCHOOLS.—Very many of the Sabbath schools of the church are regularly doing something for this work, and it is believed all would if pastors, superintendents and teachers would only give them instruction in regard to it, and an opportunity to do so.

MISSIONARY SOCIETIES.—In a number of congregations, societies, both male and female, of adults and young people, have been organized, and thus much was raised and forwarded to the treasury. This course has had one great advantage, viz: that of having each member of a congregation, in becoming a member of the Society, called on regularly for his offering to the Lord's cause.

BEQUESTS.—During the year the sum of $3,132.85 was left in legacies to this cause, Christians showing still, as Christians always should, that Christ and his cause shall be, at least, one of their heirs.

V. THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS.

During the year inquiry has been made in several instances as to the sending out of young men who have not yet pursued their theological studies here, with a view of their doing so on the heathen field, and especially in the Theological School in Egypt. The Board did not feel that it had authority to send out for the missionary work any but persons who have, at least, been licensed or ordained; and having consulted with the different Foreign Missionary Boards of this country, and some time since, with most of the brethern in our own different missions, the Board have not felt that it could recommend this course to be pursued.

VI. SPECIAL OBJECTS.

During the past year, as previously, contributions have often come into the treasury for special objects—sometimes for a special mission or missionary, or mission work—and, as far as possible, the Board have always been anxious to carry out the wish of the donor. But there are serious difficulties connected with this course. It requires a great many different accounts to be kept—has constant danger of confusion arising among so many different objects—has sometimes the appearance of unpleasant partiality and favoritism, and thus tends to discourage or excite painful feelings among missionaries—and if always strictly carried out, such special gifts would have some missions oversupplied, and some entirely crippled. Most earnestly, therefore, and after much consideration, the Board would urge the Assembly, the churches, and the friends of missions, to forward their contributions to this cause to the General Fund, and the Board will faithfully endeavor to distribute them in every case so as most to promote the great work we love in all its parts and details, as each has necessity or occasion.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

That the Assembly may have before it some particular items for its attention and action, the Board specially recommend the following things for adoption:

First.—That as, in various ways, the Divine favor has been manifested towards our work during the past year, the General Assembly call upon the churches under its care, and the friends of missions, to thank God, take courage and go forward in the work with increased prayerfulness, liberality and zeal.

Second.—That the thanks of the General Assembly be given by name to the generous friends who have been mentioned in this Report for their important aid; and also to the British and Foreign and the American Bible Societies, and the American Tract Societies, for their liberal grants of copies of the Holy Scriptures, Tracts, and other religious publications, for circulation by our different missionaries; also to the Ladies' Missionary Society, Paisley, Scotland, for largely helping to sustain the girls' school, in Alexandria; and to the Turkish Missions Aid Society, for help to our missions up the Mediterranean.

Third.—That as all our missions have been founded on the conviction that they were needed, and should be sustained, and as all the appropriations made by the Assembly are based on estimates from the missions, and are such as will meet the calls of each, and any thing separate or outside of this tends to divert or distrac from the general work, and often produces unpleasant results; therefore, special objects or funds shall not, ordinarily, be authorized or encouraged; that each mission be instructed to forward in its estimates any object, common or special, requiring funds, and the amount; and that all the churches, missionary societies, Sabbath schools and friends of Missions be urged to send their offerings to the general fund, that the Board may disburse them according to the appropriations of the Assembly.

Fourth.—That in view of the importance of having a place of summer resort in the bracing and salubrious atmosphere of a mountain residence, for such of our missionaries in Syria and Egypt as may be able to visit it, the Assembly approve of the action of the Board in purchasing the property at Bludan, on Mt. Lebanon, for the use of those missions.

Fifth.—That inasmuch as the financial accounts and the Book Department of the mission in Egypt have now become so extensive as to each require much of the time of a missionary, while both might be fully attended to by a properly qualified layman; therefore, the Assembly is urged to instruct the Board to seek such a person and appoint him to this service, that thus no missionary may be compelled to turn aside from the missionary work of making the gospel known to attend to secular work.

Sixth.—In view of the pressing calls from some of our missions for both male and female laborers, the church will send out, Divine Providence enabling, during the ensuing year, at least two male missionaries and one female to India, one of each to China, and one female to Syria, if called for, and that the Board be instructed to find, if possible, persons suitably qualified, physically and otherwise, for this service, and send them, together with any other that the emergencies of the case and the indications of Providence call for, and that the faithfulness and mercy of God may provide.

Seventh.—That the following sums be appropriated by the General Assembly for the ensuing year, viz:

To Syria, $3,753; India, $16,695; Egypt, $30,628; China, $1,500; salaries of two new missionaries, $2,400; outfits for them, $800; salaries for two female missionaries, $1,000; outfits for them, $600; travelling of new missionaries, $1-500; miscellaneous, $800; total, $59,676. Adding premiums on gold and exchange, which will average 25 per cent., would make the amount needed in currency, $73,846.

This sum is large; but it is due to the Board to mention that it arises in large measure from the painful fact that some of the missions were forced to borrow during the past year, and now that indebtedness, as well as others that have been accruing before, MUST be provided for. Besides the Board have included in these appropriations every thing estimated or called for by the missions, so that there should not be any occasion for any special object before the churches; but that all might freely and fully forward to the general treasury.

Eighth.—That the Assembly most earnestly urge upon all the churches under its care to have their contributions for the Foreign Missionary work forwarded to the Treasurer without waiting until towards the close of the ecclesiastical year. Most serious consequences follow this delay. The Treasury is thus forced to be empty and overdrawn—the missionaries are subject to great inconveniences and trials—and where money has to be borrowed, it often can be done only at enormous losses for interest.

Ninth.—That in view of the importance of having the statements and reports from the different missions, as they are arranged in the Annual Report, read as widely as possible among our people, and thus all fully informed of the condition and calls of our foreign work; therefore, the Board of Foreign Missions be instructed to publish, at least, 3,000 copies of the Annual Report; that a copy be sent to every minister of our church; that every congregation that shall contribute to the Foreign Mission Fund shall receive, without charge, as many copies as can be spared for general circulation among them; and that every pastor be urged to bring that Report before his people, and have it as widely read as possible.

The term of office of Rev. W. C. Jackson, and Messrs. Wm. Getty and Thos. Stinson expires at this meeting of the General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. BARR, *President.*
J. B. DALES, *Cor. Sec.*

Philadelphia, May 13, 1873.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS.

To the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church, to meet in Philadelphia, Pa., May 28th, 1873:

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Board of Home Missions was held in the North Church, Philadelphia, beginning Tuesday, May 20th, 1873. Fifty delegates were present, all the Presbyteries being represented except Chillicothe, Egypt, Oregon, San Francisco and Stamford. In the deliberations of the Board, the utmost harmony prevailed. The business was transacted pleasantly, and was accomplished in less time than usual. The action of the Board is embodied in the following report, which it is hoped will meet the approbation of the Assembly:

PART I. THE PRESENT YEAR.

The report of the Executive Committee to the Board, presented the following facts:

1. *Progress of the Work.*—The last Assembly granted aid to 165 stations, under the care of 47 Presbyteries. From 13 of these stations no reports have been received; the reports of 53 others are incomplete, embracing only a portion of the year. In the stations from which reports have been received there is a membership of 8,941, with an average attendance of 16,549. The additions to the Church have been 598 on the profession of their faith, and 786 on certificates from other congregations, while the decrease by death and removal has been 474. In the Sabbath Schools connected with these stations, there are 8,534 scholars reported. These same stations have contributed during the year to the Boards of the Church $5,068, and for the support of their pastors or missionaries $47,201. Encouraging as these figures are, they do not furnish all the cheering facts connected with the work. In instances, not a few, the precious seed of divine truth has been sown where it will yet spring up and ripen to the harvest,—at many points the foundations have been laid broad and deep, upon which, with the continued blessing of that God who giveth the increase, will be reared, in a short time, self-sustaining and flourishing congregations—prolific centers of influence in the cause of truth and righteousness.

2. *Appropriations Withheld.*—The appropriations made by the last Assembly, so far as they have become due, have been paid, except in forty-four instances, in which the conditions were not fulfilled. The appropriations withheld amount to $4,046.75.

3. *Grants by the Executive Committee.*—The sum of $1,000 has been appropriated out of the money left at the disposal of the Executive Committee to meet emergencies. The following table will show the manner in which it has been distributed:

PRESBYTERY.	STATION.	TIME.	AMOUNT.
Des Moines	Adams	1 year.	$100 00
"	Chariton	6 months.	50 00
Mansfield	Christianville, Va	1 year.	300 00
"	Stanton River, Va	9 months.	200 00
Westmoreland	Greensburg and Con	6 months.	50 00
San Francisco	Salinas City		300 00

4. *Special Missions.*—The following points were placed under this head in the report of the Board adopted by the last Assembly:

St. Louis, Presbytery of Southern Illinois.—Nothing has been done toward the establishment of a Mission in that city. The embarrassed state of our treasury during most of the year, and other causes, prevented any action in that direction.

Indianapolis, Presbytery of Indiana.—Rev. J. L. Clark, appointed by the Assembly to labor in this station, has met with a good degree of success. A suitable lot has been procured, a neat chapel erected, and it is hoped the church building will be completed before the close of the present year. The congregation now numbers 30 members, with an encouraging prospect of increase.

Duluth, in the Presbytery of Minnesota, and Akron, in the Presbytery of Cleveland.—Nothing has been done in either of these places.

Minneapolis, in the Presbytery of Minnesota.—Rev. J. L. Whitla, appointed by the Assembly to this field, entered immediately upon the work. But after three months it was manifest, that for the present at least, there was no reasonable prospect of success. The effort was therefore abandoned, and the Missionary appointed to Zion and connections in the same Presbytery.

Omaha, in the Presbytery of Nebraska.—Rev. James Duncan, appointed by the Assembly to this important station, commenced his labors there in September last. Though encountering many discouragements, his success has been such as to warrant the expectation that a congregation of our branch of the Church will soon be established in that important centre of influence. A suitable church property has been secured in a very desirable location.

Topeka, Presbytery of Kansas.—The Missionary appointed to this station believed it to be his duty to decline the service. Rev. B. L. Baldridge was sent as a temporary supply, and at the request of the people he was appointed by the Presbytery as Stated Supply to the end of the year. During the year a comfortable

church has been erected. "The friends of our cause have been gathered and united in spirit and heart." Fifteen have been added to the Church, the membership now numbering 32, with an average attendance of about 45 to 50.

These two stations, Omaha and Topeka, should receive special attention. It is important that our cause should be vigorously maintained in each of these places, as a base of operations in the great and growing States of Kansas and Nebraska.

5. *Financial Condition of the Board*—On the 1st day of July last, when the present Treasurer and Secretary entered upon their duties, there was in the treasury $3,070.88, with which to commence paying the appropriations that then became due. During the summer, autumn and winter, funds came in so slowly that each succeeding quarter found us further and further behind with our obligations to our Missionaries, many of them not being paid until two or three months, or even longer, after the money became due. It is gratifying, however, to state that during the last two months, contributions came in more liberally, and all claims against the Board up to April 1st have been paid, with the exception of $1,621.50. Still we are not, without anxiety on this point, inasmuch as we have on hand only about $1,471.53 to meet this obligation. And, judging from the past experience, it is more than probable that on the 1st of next July, instead of the balance we had last year, we will have, virtually, an empty treasury, with obligations amounting to over $8,000 falling due. From this it will be seen that, while there has been an enlarged liberality on the part of the Church, still the contributions have not been equal to the increased appropriations of last year.

From the 30th of April, 1872, when the former Treasurer closed his report to the Board, until the 30th of April, 1873, there was received into the treasury, independent of legacies or bequests, $32,742.36. During the same period, there was paid out $28,638.39. Since the 30th of April, however, orders have been paid covering an amount greater than the difference between these sums.

PART II. THE COMING YEAR.

The amount of money asked for the coming year was $48,645. After carefully considering the requests of the Presbyteries, and the relative necessities of the several missionary stations, aid was granted to the amount of only $38,100, including $3.000 placed at the disposal of the Executive Committee, to meet such necessities as may arise during the year. The appropriations were limited to this amount, not because it was all that was needed, or that could be judiciously expended, but for reasons that will be sufficiently evident when the experience of the past and the probabilities of the future in regard to the contributions of the Church to the Home Mission work are duly considered. Of the aid granted, $11,750 is conditional. The services of 95 missionaries were applied for by the different Presbyteries. To meet these calls, 87 men were at the disposal of the Board; many of them, however, for but a portion of the year. The names of the mission stations, and the amount of aid granted to each, the names of the missionaries and the Presbyteries to which they have been assigned, are herewith reported:

1. AID GRANTED.

Albany.....West Galway, $400.
Allegheny.....Bellview, $250, s.*or 200, s. s.†; Etna, 250; Fleming, 250.
Beaver Valley.....Beaver Falls, $500; Oakland, 125; Remington, 75.
Big Spring.....Gettysburg and Duncannon, $150.
Bloomington.....Belleflower, $75; Hoopeston, 450, s. s.; New Brenton, 50; Pana, 100; Smith's station, 50; Sugar Branch, 125; Wenona, 125.
Boston.....First Boston, $150; Thompsonville, 100, s.; Whitinsville, 250; Wilkinsonville, 100.
Brookville.....Cherry Run, $100; Lower Piney, 100; Lumber City, 500; Mill-stone, 100; Reynoldsville, 200.
Butler.....East Brady, $500, s. s.; Lawrenceburg, 200, s.
Caledonia.....Franklinville, $150.
Cedar Rapids.....Boonsboro', $200, s. s.; Concord, 250, s. s.; Fairfax, Florence and Vinton, 250, s. s.
Chartiers.....Taylorstown, $150.
Chicago.....Shannon, $100.
Conemaugh.....Johnstown, $800, s. s.
Delaware.....Davenport, $100, s.; Meredith, 250, s. or 200 s. s.; Walton, 100, s.

* Condition of Settlement. † Condition of Stated Supply.

Des Moines.....Adams, $150, s. s.; Centreville, 200, s. s.; Chariton, 300, s. s.; Corning, 150, s. s.; Corydon, 50; Des Moines City, 200, s. s.; Jefferson, 50; Lacona, 100; Newton, 100; North English, 200; Pleasant Grove and White Oak, 150, s. s.

Detroit.....Davisville and Fremont, $100; Fairgrove and Unionville, 100; Marlatt and Goodland, 125; Port Huron, 500; Redhouse, Brockway and Clyde, 125.

Frankfort.....New Bethlehem, $200.

Garnett.....Americus, $200; Arkansas City, El Paso and Con.,450, on condition the congregation raise 200; Big Creek, 200; Chetopa, 100, s. s., and the question of granting additional aid referred to the Executive Committee; Edgerton 250, s.; Emporia and Plymouth, 300; Galesburg, Jacksonville and Con., 300, congregation to raise 300; Longton and Howard City, 200, congregation to raise 200; Lyndon and Rock Creek, 150; Olathe, 150; Ottawa, 400, s., congregation to raise 400, or 300, s. s., congregation to raise 300; White City and Con. 200.

Indiana.....Caledonia, $100.

Kansas.....Carnahan Creek and Con., $300; Center, 100; Grasshopper Falls, 100; Lawrence, 100; Winchester, 300.

Keokuk.....Brighton, $100; Mediapolis, 300, s. s.; Sandusky and Summitville, 150, s. s.

Lake.....Evansburg and Watson's Run, $200, s.; Wayne, 150.

Le Claire.....Highland, $150; Pressly, 100; Putnam, 150.

Mansfield.....Chase City, Va., $200; Mt. Vernon, 200; Stanton River, Va., 200; Utica and Martinsburg, 200, s. s.

Mercer.....Sharpsville, $200.

Minnesota.....Argyle and Con., $350; Caledonia and Con.. 200; Eden Prairie and Con., 100; Pepin, and Con., 250; Rome, 250; Zion, 250.

Monmouth.....Alexandria, $100; Summit, 100.

Monongahela.....8th Pittsburgh, $500; Wylie Avenue, Pittsburgh, 500.

Muskingum.....Barlow, $100.

Nebraska.....Clarinda and Page City, $300; Delaware and Burr Oak, 100; Mission Creek, 400, s. s.; North Bend, 250, congregation to raise 200; North Page, 250, congregation to raise 300; Pawnee City and Scotch Valley, 300, congregation to raise 300; Red Oak, 450; Rock Bluff, 100.

First New York.....Second Jersey City, $350; Paterson, 300.

Second New York.....First Brooklyn, $100.

First Ohio.....Dayton, $100, s.; Richmond, 100, s.

Oregon.....Referred to the Executive Committee.

Philadelphia.....Oxford, $200; Seventh Philadelphia, 400; Tenth Philadelphia, 300.

Princeton.....Vandalia and White Hall, $200, congregation to raise 350; West Bethel, 150, s. s.

Rock Island.....Colona, $150; Davenport, 500, if they perfect title to church property; Pleasant Unity, 50; Rock Island, 400.

San Francisco.....Salinas City, $350; Roseville, 150.

Sidney.....California and Spring Lake, $250, s.; Gilead and Leipsic, 175.

Southern Illinois.....Bethel. $150; Flora, 100.

Steubenville.....Carrollton and Connotton, $200.

Tennessee.....Big Spring, $175; Dickson and Nails Creek, 450, congregation to raise 150; Hopewell, 200.

Vermont.....Greensboro', $200, s. or 150, s. s.

Wabash.....Camden and Con.; $250, s. s.; Murray and Con., 250, s.; Mt. Pleasant, 200, s. s.

Western Missouri.....Bethel, $250; Grand River, 100; Greenwood, 100; Kansas City, 700; Kingsville, 300; Lee's Summit, 100; Thompsonville, 50; Warrensburg, 300.

Westmoreland.....Greensburg and Latrobe, $250.

Wheeling.....Bellaire, $800, s. s.; Roney's Point, 100.

Wisconsin.....Buffalo, $75, congregation to raise 200; Lisbon, 100; Oshkosh, 400.

Executive Committee.....$3,000.

2. MISSIONARIES APPOINTED.

J. H. Adair, Garnett, whole year.
A. S. Aiken, 1st quarter, Le Claire; 4th, Big Spring.
B. L. Baldridge, Kansas, whole year, for Topeka.
J. P. Black, 1st and 2d, Keokuk; 3d, Wheeling; 4th, Keokuk.
D. H. Blair, 1st and 4th, Garnet.
Thos. Bracken, 1st, Allegheny; 2d, Philadelphia; 3d, Beaver Valley; 4th Chartiers.
M. B. Brownlee, 1st, Mansfield; 4th, Boston.
W. R. Bruce, 1st, Lake; 4th, Brookville.
John Bryan, Nebraska, whole year.
J. C. Bryson, 1st, Wisconsin; 2d and 3d, Des Moines; 4th, Garnet.
J. W. Buchanan, 2d, 3d and 4th, Wisconsin.
J. L. Bull, referred to Cedar Rapids.
D. D. Christy, 1st qr., First New York; 2d, Delaware; 3d and 4th, Vermont.
W. J. Cleland, Garnett, whole year.
E. C. Cooper, referred to Garnett.
W. J. Cooper, 1st and 4th, Beaver Valley; 2d, Wisconsin; 3d, Mansfield.
J. P. Cowan, 1st, Detroit; 2d, Des Moines, 3d, Xenia; 4th, Philadelphia.
W. P. Curry, Kansas, whole year.
J. S. Dice, 1st, Beaver Valley; 2d, 3d and 4th, Keokuk.
P. H. Drennan, Cedar Rapids, whole year.
Jackson Duff, 1st and 4th, Des Moines, 2d, Cedar Rapids; 3d, Garnet.
Wm. Findley, D.D., 1st, Big Spring; 2d, Lake; 3d, Beaver Valley; 4th, Butler.
S. G. Fitzgerald, Nebraska, whole year, for Omaha.
B. J. Forrester, 1st, Westmoreland; 2d, Albany; 3d, Stamford; 4th, Beaver Valley.
J. B. Galloway, 1st and 4th, Le Claire.
J. P. Gibson, 1st, Philadelphia; 4th, Keokuk.
James Given, 1st, Butler; 2d, Chartiers; 4th, Detroit.
Wm. M. Graham, Nebraska, whole year.
James A. Grier, 4th, Wheeling.
R. C. Hamilton, 1st, Sidney; 4th, Delaware.
Andrew Henry, 1st, Keokuk; 2d, Detroit; 3d, Michigan; 4th, Beaver Valley.
J. M. Heron, 1st, Xenia; 2d, Bloomington; 3d, Sidney; 4th, Southern Illinois.
S. T. Herron, Des Moines, whole year.
H. H. Houston, 1st, Brookville; 4th, Lake.
Wm. F. Humphrey, 1st, Wabash.
J. L. Hunter, referred to Steubenville.
J. J. Imbrie, 1st, Wheeling; 2d, Beaver Valley; 3d, Des Moines; 4th, Keokuk.
J. M. Imbrie, 1st, Garnet; 4th, Des Moines.
R. Johnson, 1st and 4th, Sidney; 2d, Cedar Rapids; 3d, Wabash.
J. C. M. Johnston, 1st, Oregon; 2d, First New York; 3d, Boston; 4th, Delaware.
R. J. Jones, 1st and 4th, Delaware; 2d, Sidney; 3d, Mansfield.
W. P. Kane, 1st, Xenia; 4th, Albany.
J. W. Martin, Garnet, whole year.
J. R. May, 1st, Butler; 2d, Mercer, 3d, Detroit; 4th, Wisconsin.
A. Mayne, 1st and 2d, Des Moines, 3d and 4th, Garnet.
S. W. Meek, referred to Delaware.
Wm. Melvin, 1st qr., First New York; 2d, Wheeling; 3d, Brookville; 4th Stamford.
Thos. W. Monteith, Detroit, whole year.
J. H. Montgomery, Cedar Rapids, whole year.
J. H. Morrow, Detroit, whole year.
S. McArthur, 1st, Southern Illinois; 2d, 3d and 4th, referred to Conemaugh.
D. T. McAuley, Garnet, whole year.
C. L. McCracken, 1st, Boston; 2d, Vermont; 3d, Stamford; 4th, Le Claire.
Joseph McCartney, 1st, Vermont; 2d, Brookville; 3d, Butler; 4th, Princeton.
A. D. McCarrel, 1st and 2d, Wheeling.
W. T. McConnell, 1st, Beaver Valley; 2d, Mansfield; 3d, Southern Illinois; 4th, Monmouth.
M. S. McCord, 1st, Delaware; 4th, Brookville.

W. H. McCreery, 2d, Keokuk; 4th, First New York.
Jas. McCrea, referred to Princeton.
H. McHatton, Des Moines, whole year.
Edward McKee, 1st, Albany; 2d, Boston; 3d, Mercer; 4th, Butler.
Joseph McKelvy, Garnet, whole year.
D. McLachlan, 1st and 2d Princeton; 3d and 4th, Delaware.
J. M. McLellan, Detroit, whole year.
John Pattison, Oregon, whole year.
G. P. Raitt, Des Moines, whole year.
W. T. Rawson, Detroit, whole year.
Wm. H. Reed, Wabash, whole year.
J. A. Shankland, Nebraska, whole year.
James Shearer, 1st, Wisconsin; 2d and 3d, Southern Illinois; 4th, referred to his Presbytery.
E. C. Simpson, 1st, First New York; 4th, Southern Illinois.
R. Stephenson, 1st, Lake; 2d, Westmoreland; 4th, Allegheny.
Wm. Stevenson, 1st and 4th, Southern Illinois.
R. B. Taggart, 1st, Chartiers; 2d, Beaver Valley; 3d, Butler; 4th, Mercer.
J. W. Taylor, Kansas, whole year.
S. F. Thompson, Tennessee, whole year.
Daniel Todd, Le Claire, whole year.
John Todd, 1st, Garnet; 2d, Des Moines.
J. T. Torrence, 1st and 2d, Chicago; 3d, Wisconsin; 4th, Des Moines.
T. E. Turner, Tenessee, whole year.
W. H. Vincent, 1st, Westmoreland; 2d, Butler; 3d, Keokuk; 4th, Xenia.
Thomas M. Watson, 1st, Monmouth; 4th, Southern Illinois.
Evert Westing, referred to the Executive Committee.
C. Webster, 1st, Bloomington; 2d and 4th, Delaware; 3d, 1st New York.
J. C. White, 1st, Mercer; 2d, Butler; 3d, Keokuk; 4th, Wabash.
W. Wright, Western Missouri, whole year.
R. C. Wyatt, Bloomington, whole year.

For convenience of referrence by Presbyteries, the following list of appointments is added:

Albany.....1st quarter, Edward McKee; 2d, B. J. Forrester; 4th, W. P. Kane.
Allegheny.....1st qr. Thomas Bracken; 4th, R. Stephenson.
Beaver Valley.....1st qr. W. J. Cooper, J. S. Dice, W. T. McConnell; 2d, J. J. Imbrie, R. B. Taggart; 3d, Thos. Bracken, Wm. Findley, D.D.; 4th, W. J. Cooper, B. J. Forrester, Andrew Henry.
Big Spring.....1st qr., Wm. Findley, D.D.; 4th, A. S. Aiken.
Bloomington.....For the whole year, R. C. Wyatt; 1st qr., C. Webster; 2d, J. M. Heron.
Boston.....1st qr., C. L. McCracken; 2d, Edward McKee; 3d, J. C. M. Johnston; 4th, M. B. Brownlee.
Brookville.....1st qr., H. H. Houston; 2d, Jos McCartney; 3d, Wm. Melvin; 4th, W. R. Bruce, M. S. McCord.
Butler.....1st qr., James Given, J. R. May; 2d, W. H. Vincent, J. C. White; 3d, Joseph McCartney, R. B. Taggart; 4th, William Findley, D.D., Edward McKee.
Chartiers.....1st qr., R. B. Taggart; 2d, Jas. Given; 4th, Thos. Bracken.
Cedar Rapids.....For the whole year, P. H. Drennen, J. H. Montgomery; 2d, Jackson Duff, R. Johnson.
Chicago.....1st and 2d qrs., J. T. Torrence.
Delaware.....1st qr., R. J. Jones, M, S. McCord; 2d, D. D. Christy, C. Webster; 3d, D. McLachlan; 4th, R. C. Hamilton, J. C. M. Johnston, R. J. Jones, D. McLachlan, C. Webster.
Des Moines.....Whole year, S. T. Herron, H. McHatton, G. P. Raitt; 1st qr. Jackson Duff, A. Mayne; 2d, J. C. Bryson, J. P. Cowan, A. Mayne, John Todd; 3d, J. C. Bryson, J. J. Imbrie; 4th, Jackson Duff, J. M. Imbrie, J. T. Torrence.
Detroit.....For the whole year, Thos. W. Monteith, J. H. Morrow, J. M. McLellan, W. T. Rawson; 1st. qr., J. P. Cowan; 2d, Andrew Henry; 3d, J. R. May; 4th, James Given.
Garnett.....For the whole year, J. H. Adair, W. J. Cleland, J. W. Martin, D. T. McAuley, Jos. McKelvy; 1st qr., D. H. Blair, J. M. Imbrie, Jno. Todd; 3d, Jackson Duff, A. Mayne; 4th, J. C. Bryson, D. H. Blair, A. Mayne.

Kansas.....For the whole year, B. L. Baldridge, W. P. Curry, J. W. Taylor.
Keokuk.....1st qr., J. P. Black, Andrew Henry; 2d, J. P. Black, J. S. Dice, W. H. McCreery; 3d, J. S. Dice, W. H. Vincent, J. C. White; 4th, J. P. Black, J. S. Dice, J. P. Gibson, J. J. J. Imbrie.
Lake.....1st qr., W R. Bruce, R. Stephenson; 2d, W. Findley, D.D.; 4th, H. H. Houston.
Le Claire.....For the whole year, Daniel Todd; 1st qr., A. S. Aiken, J. B. Galloway; 4th, J. B. Galloway, C. L. McCracken.
Mansfield.....1st qr., M. B. Brownlee; 2d, W. T. McConnel; 3d, W. J. Cooper, R. J Jones.
Mercer.....1st qr., J. C. White; 2d, J. R. May; 3d, Edward McKee; 4th, R. B. Taggart.
Michigan.....3d qr., Andrew Henry.
Monmouth.....1st qr., Thos. M. Watson; 4th, W. T. McConnel.
Nebraska.....For the whole year, John Bryan, S. G. Fitzgerald, Wm. M. Graham, J. A. Shankland.
First New York.....1st qr., D. D. Christy, Wm. Melvin, E. C. Simpson; 2d, J. C. M. Johnston; 3d, C. Webster; 4th, W. H. McCreery.
Oregon.....For the whole year, John Pattison; 1st qr., J. C. M. Johnston.
Philadelphia.....1st qr., J. P. Gibson; 2d, Thos. Bracken; 4th, J. P. Cowan.
Princeton.....1st and 2d qrs., D. McLachlan; 4th, Jos. McCartney.
Sidney.....1st qr., R C. Hamilton, R. Johnson; 2d, R. J. Jones; 3d, J. M. Heron; 4th, R. Johnson.
Southern Illinois.....1st qr., S. McArthur, Wm Stevenson; 2d, James Shearer; 3d, W. T. McConnel, James Shearer; 4th, J. M. Heron, E. C. Simpson, Wm. Stevenson, Thomas M. Watson.
Stamford.....3d qr., B. J. Forrester, C. L. McCracken; 4th, Wm. Melvin.
Tennessee.....For the whole year, S. F. Thompson, T. E. Turner.
Vermont.....1st qr., Jos. McCartney; 2d, C. L. McCracken; 3d and 4th, D. D. Christy.
Wabash.....For the whole year, Wm. H. Reed; 1st qr., Wm. F. Humphrey; 3d, R. Johnson; 4th. J. C. White.
Western Missouri...For the whole year, W. Wright.
Westmoreland.....1st qr., B. J. Forrester, W. H. Vincent; 2d, R. Stephenson.
Wheeling.....1st qr., J. J. Imbrie, A. D. McCarrel; 2d, Wm. Melvin, A. D. McCarrel; 3d, J. P. Black; 4th, James A Grier
Wisconsin.....1st qr., J. C. Bryson, Jas. Shearer; 2d, J. W. Buchanan, W. J. Cooper; 3d, J. W. Buchanan, J. T. Torrence; 4th, J. W. Buchanan, J. R. May.
Xenia.....1st qr., Jno. M. Heron, W. P. Kane; 3d, J. P. Cowan; 4th, W. H. Vincent.

3. SPECIAL MISSIONS.

The following action was taken with reference to certain missions, whose claims were considered by the Board:

Resolved, 1st. That $800 be granted to the Chicago mission, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, on condition of settlement.

2d. That $700 be granted to the mission in Indianapolis, Ind., and that the Rev. J. L. Clark be re-appointed to labor in that field. We further recommend the Board of Church Extension, to take such measures as they can, to secure the speedy completion of the church building in Indianapolis.

3d. That we hereby express our appreciation of the services of the Rev. James Duncan, in the Omaha mission, during the past nine months, and that we grant him an allowance of $150, to defray his traveling expenses to and from the field. We further recommend, that $1,000 be granted to the Omaha mission for the coming year, and that S. G. Fitzgerald be appointed as our missionary in that place.

4th. That $800 be granted to Topeka, Kansas, and that the Rev. B. L. Baldridge be appointed to labor in that field.

5th That the matter of establishing a new mission in the city of St. Louis, be referred to the Executive Committee.

6th. That $150 be granted to the Presbytery of Michigan for Grand River mission.

7th That the Executive Committee be directed to call upon the Church for special contributions to the mission among the colored people in Nashville, and that an appropriation of $800 from any funds thus contributed, be granted to the

said mission. We also recommend that the Rev. James McNeal be appointed to have charge of the mission in Nashville; the Presbytery of Tennessee to supply his pulpit during his absence from his own charge. In view of this arrangement, we further recommend that the Rev. T. E. Turner be assigned to the Presbytery of Tennessee for the year.

8th. That the request of the Synod of Kansas for an appropriation to be expended in exploring within their bounds, be referred to the Executive Committee.

The 2d Church, Leavenworth, was referred to the Executive Committee with instructions to grant aid, not exceeding $400, from the special fund provided for in the 7th resolution above, if the contributions should exceed the $800 granted to Nashville.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following miscellaneous resolutions were adopted:

I.

WHEREAS, The last General Assembly ordered the Executive Committee to take steps to become incorporated, therefore, that this may be done in such manner as to avoid confusion between the Board of Home Missions and the Executive Committee of the Board, as now constituted,

Resolved, 1st. That the name of the Executive Committee of the Board of Home Missions be so changed that it shall hereafter be known as the "Board of Home Missions;" and that what is now known as the Board of Home Missions shall hereafter be styled the General Committee of Home Missions of the United Presbyterian Church.

2d. That this change of name shall work no change in the present system of the working of these respective bodies, nor any change in their present relation to the Church, and to each other.

3d. That hereafter the General Committee of Home Missions, shall, as heretofore, consist of one delegate from each Presbytery; but the Board of Home Missions (now called the Executive Committee of the Board of Home Missions) shall hereafter consist of nine members, who shall be elected by the General Assembly for a term of three years, together with a Corresponding Secretary, who shall be elected by the General Assembly for a term of four years, and who shall be *ex-officio* a member of the Board and of the General Committee.

4th. That this present General Assembly elect for the Board of Home Missions, three members who shall serve for a term of three years; three members who shall serve for a term of two years, and three members who shall serve for a term of one year; and that each succeeding General Assembly elect three members to fill the vacancy occurring by the expiration of the term of office.

5th. That we recommend this General Assembly to order the revision of the Constitution of the Board of Home Missions.

II.

WHEREAS, The last General Assembly ordered the permanent investment of all bequests made to this Board, and this has produced some embarrassment in the work of this Board by locking up a portion of its funds;

Resolved, That hereafter any bequest made to the Board of Home Missions that is not especially designated by the Testator for investment, may be used to meet the current expenses of the Board.

III.

WHEREAS, It is highly desirable that the General Committee of Home Missions become acquainted with the condition, ability and prospects of all congregations and mission stations, asking aid through it, in order to make its appropriations wisely;

Resolved, That the Board of Home Missions be directed to prepare a series of questions relative to all points on which information is needed, and that these be sent by the Corresponding Secretary of the Board, through the Superintendents of missions, to every congregation or station seeking aid from the Church; and in no case shall any Presbytery recommend to the Board for aid any congregation or station which fails to furnish all required information through the Presbytery with which it is connected to the General Committee of Home Missions.

IV.

WHEREAS, There is frequent complaint from Presbyteries, relative to the non-fulfillment of their appointments by the appointees of this Board, and as this results in the great discouragement of congregations dependent on this Board for supplies, and works such injury to the cause, as to demand some adequate remedy; therefore,

Resolved, 1st. That Presbyteries be enjoined to recommend no man to the General Committee of Home Missions for appointments, who will not promise faithfully to fulfill any and all appointments he may receive from said Committee, and that Presbyteries, before recommending any one who may have previously received appointments, be directed to enquire if all former appointments have been fulfilled by him.

2d. That the Assembly be requested to enjoin upon Presbyteries to forbid congregations to supply themselves when such a course would result in the exclusion of the appointees of this Board.

V.

WHEREAS, The Executive Committee was directed by the last General Assembly to consider the wants of the North American Indians, and, if deemed advisable, to establish a mission among them; and as it has been ascertained, that the efficient prosecution of the work would necessarily involve a large annual outlay, therefore,

Resolved, That we deem it inexpedient to take any further steps in the matter.

VI.

Resolved, That an order be drawn on the Treasurer of the Board for the sum of $15 in favor of the sexton of the North U. P. Church of Philadelphia.

Resolved, That the Assembly be requested to direct "The General Committee of the Board of Home Missions," to meet hereafter on Wednesday morning of the week preceeding the meeting of the General Assembly.

J. B. MCMICHAEL, *Chairman.*
J. G. BROWN, *Cor. Secretary.*
WM. S. OWENS, *Rec. Secretary.*

Philadelphia, *May* 28, 1873.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board of Church Extension submits its Fourteenth Annual Report to the General Assembly, and asks a careful consideration of the work committed to it, and instructions, and a liberal appropriation for the coming year.

The Board has endeavored to discharge faithfully the trust committed to it. Monthly meetings have been held, and every application has been carefully considered, and only such grants have been made as were felt to be necessary. The annual statement was submitted to the Synods, and monthly statements have been published as heretofore. In some instances appeals have been made to individuals by letter and circular, but the reliance has been chiefly on the regular contributions of the churches.

RECEIPTS.

From the Treasurer's Report it will be seen that the receipts from all sources, exclusive of the balance on hand at the beginning of the year, have been $25,364.62, an increase of $6,435.47 over the preceding year. The contributions of the Presbyteries for the loan and general funds have increased $6,143.80. This is very encouraging, but it will be seen that there are a few Presbyteries whose names do not appear in the report as contributors, and some have given but very small sums. The Sabbath Schools have contributed $534.47. It is hoped this is the beginning of their work, and that hereafter they may every year build one or more mission Churches.

The importance of holding a claim on the property of Congregations receiving aid, is seen in the fact that during the year $865 have been received from this source.

APPROPRIATIONS.

During the year the Board has considered thirty applications from Congregations in eighteen Presbyteries, asking for aid to the amount of $40,903.50. Some of these may appear large, being in part for loans, and from Congregations in our large cities where the plainest building is very expensive; but in every case the appropriation was made as small as the facts in the case would warrant. Unless the aid given is sufficient to secure the success of the Congregation, it is useless. The appropriations made amount to $37,503.84. In some cases the work of building has not been begun; in others it will not be completed for one or two years. The present value of the ground on which the above grants are made, is $62,800,

and the houses, when all shall be completed, will have cost $230,000; making a total of property secured, $292,800.

The appropriations are as follows:

Congregation.	Presbytery.	Grant.
Albia	DesMoines	$ 600 00 Loan.
Bellair	Wheeling	1,420 35 Donation. 94 65 Loan.
Boston	Boston	2,334 34 Donation.
Caledonia	Wisconsin	200 00 Donation.
Centerville	Des Moines	500 00 Loan.
Concord	Cedar Rapids	400 00 Donation. 200 00 Loan.
Corning	DesMoines	500 00 Donation. 500 00 Loan.
Chicago, 1st	Chicago	1,239 50 Loan.
Delta, W. T.	Oregon	360 00 Donation. 300 00 Loan.
Indianapolis	Indiana	1,500 00 Donation. 1,500 00 Loan.
Jersey City, 2d	1st New York	1,000 00 Donation. 2,000 00 Loan.
Johnstown	Conemaugh	400 00 Loan.
Kansas City	West Missouri	935 00 Loan.
" " Mission	"	350 00 Donation.
Lawrence	Boston	500 00 Loan.
Mansfield	Monongahela	500 00 Donation. 1,500 00 Loan.
Mission Creek	Nebraska	300 00 Donation.
Oil City	Lake	2,000 00 Loan.
Oshkosh	Wisconsin	400 00 Donation.
Patterson	1st New York	2,500 00 Loan.
Pittsburgh, 8th	Monongahela	2,500 00 Donation. 5,000 00 Loan.
Pittsburgh, 10th	Monongahela	1,000 00 Donation. 1,000 00 Loan.
Sugar Branch	Bloomington	500 00 Loan.
Titusville	Lake	1,000 00 Donation.
Union	DesMoines	500 00 Loan.
Warrensburg	West Missouri	386 00 Dona'n, spec'l.
Waupaca	Wisconsin	700 00 Donation.
West Galway	Albany	358 00 Dona'n, spec'l.
Winchester	Kansas	200 00 Donation. 300 00 Loan.
Donations,		$15,437 69
Loans,		22,069 15
Total Amount,		$37,503 84

NOTES.—*Boston.*—In the application to the Assembly of 1871 for aid for the First Church, Boston, it was stated that the legal title was vested in Dr. Blaikie, but the equitable title was secured to the Trustees of the General Assembly by a "Declaration of Trust," and that when requested to do so, the property would be transferred to the Trustees, by good and legal conveyance, subject to the following condition: "*Provided*, that should a majority of said Assembly at any time abandon the principles of union, or alter the Standards adopted by said Assembly, at Pittsburgh, Pa., on May 26th, A. D. 1858, the said trust to enure in all its holdings and enjoyments to the minority retaining and maintaining said principles of doctrine, government, discipline and worship." The Board considered this an objectionable condition,—believing that it would give opportunity for discontented parties, to give trouble in case the Standards should be changed, even in the minor matters of government, and, therefore, asked that an absolute deed be made to the Trustees of the General Assembly. Notice has been received that this will be done as soon as the papers can be preprared.

Chicago.—At the date of the last report, it was believed that the Congregation in Chicago would be able to bear, and ultimately remove all indebtedness on their

property. This expectation has not been realized, and the Board was under the necessity of granting a loan of $1,239.50 to meet a claim. The Congregation also asks $600 to pay the interest on their debt, but this has not been granted, and is referred to the Assembly.

Indianapolis.—The Missionary appointed by the last Assembly to Indianapolis, found that it would not be possible to buy a lot in an eligible location, and build a house without aid from the Board. The lot cost about $5,000, and a good, but not extravagant, frame house would cost about $10,000. The Corresponding Secretary visited the mission, and was satisfied that it was good economy to erect the permanent house, rather than a temporary structure, which might be a hindrance to the work, and would soon be valueless. The Board, therefore, granted a donation of $1,500, and a loan of $1,500, to be paid in three annual installments. The Sabbath School rooms have been completed, and the welfare of the mission requires the completion of the building at the earliest practicable time.

Kansas City.—According to the order of the Assembly of 1871, a loan was made to the Kansas City Congregation. For some time the Congregation has maintained a mission Sabbath School and afternoon service in a new part of the city, with encouraging success. Lots have been bought preparatory to the erection of a plain house. To aid this, a donation of $350 was granted, but the work has not been begun.

Omaha.—The last Assembly requested the Board to furnish a suitable building for the mission in Omaha. After spending some time on the ground, the Missionary reported in favor of buying a house, instead of building one. Accordingly a suitable one, favorably located, well seated, and furnished, was bought for $4,500, and the deed made to the Board. The Board has not yet taken formal action, but approves of the purchase.

Pittsburgh, 8th.—The large appropriation to the Eighth Church, Pittsburgh, was made under the following circumstances: A heavy debt oppressed the Congregation, and prevented the completion of the house. The Session of the First Church, Pittsburgh, having the disposition of a certain legacy, amounting to $3,750, proposed to give it to the Board, provided the Board would make the above appropriation. As this would give a net increase to the permanent fund, the proposition was agreed to. The Congregation have themselves contributed very largely, and this will enable them to complete the house within the year, and place them on good financial footing.

Pittsburgh, 10th.—The Tenth Church, Pittsburgh, reports, too late for the Treasurer's Report, $11,262 contributed by friends of this mission for the erection of their house. This will be included in the mortgage given by the Congregation to the Board.

Waupaca.—The grant to Waupaca, was to lift a mortgage held by the Trustees of the A. R. Presbytery, of Allegheny, for a loan made some years ago, at the request of the Board. An absolute deed of the property has been given to the Board.

CLAIMS.

Chalmers.—The Congregation of Chalmers, Presbytery of Monmouth, having become virtually extinct, the Presbytery sold the house, and repaid the $100 formerly received from the Board.

Morrison.—The Presbytery of Tennesse, has disolved the Congregation of Morrison, and authorized the sale of its property. The title to the property is held by the Trustees of the General Assembly. This Congregation was aided by the Board; the Assembly is therefore asked to instruct its Trustees to sell the property or transfer it to the Board.

Salem.—The Congregation of Salem, Oregon, having taken measures to dissolve its connection with the United Presbyterian Church, the Board forwarded to the Presbytery of Oregon its claim for money collected by the Rev. T. J. Wilson, to aid in building the house. The Presbytery effected a satisfactory settlement, and the Board has received $785, and a note payable one year after date, for $1,266, in gold, with interest at ten per cent. in gold.

SECURITIES.

Correspondence concerning securities for aid obtained previous to 1870, having shown that but few of the Congregations understood that such security would be required, the Board has not felt at liberty to take any further action. Some Congregations have given the bonds required by the rule of the Assembly, (Min. 1870, page 53.) The Congregation of Scotland, Presbytery of Princeton, returned, with thanks, the amount received, that it might help others as it had helped them.

The regulation adopted by the last Assembly requiring that security be given before the money is paid over to the Congregation. has been enforced as far as practicable, and with good results. The following is a list of the securities now in possession of the Board. Others have been executed, but have not been received from the recording offices.

NOTES—Of the Congregation of Chicago, for loan	$1239	50
" " Grants Hill, O., for donation	117	00
" " Richmond, Ind.,	136	00
" " Salem, Oregon, for claim.....gold	1266	00
" Wyoming Congregational Church, being part of purchase money of Wyoming Church, at 7 per cent.	200	00
MORTGAGES—Of the Congregation of 5th Allegheny, for donation	$1,000	00
" " Big Creek, Kan., for loan	200	00
" " Boonsboro, Iowa, for loan	500	00
" " " " donation,	688	00
" " Centerville, Iowa, for loan	500	00
" " Concord, Ill., for loan	500	00
" " Cuba, Mo., for loan	500	00
" " Dickson, Tenn, for donation,	550	00
" " Edgerton, Kan., for donation,	200	00
" " " " for loan	300	00
" " 1st. Jersey City, N. J. don'n	450	00
" " Kansas City, for loan	935	00
" " Kingsville, Mo., for donation,	200	00
" " Knoxville, Iowa, for donation	515	00
" " Lawrence, Kan., for donation	2,430	67
" " Mediapolis, Iowa, for loan	500	00
" " Mt. Pelier, " for dona'n	172	00
" " Oskaloosa, " for dona'n	500	00
" " Red Oak, " for loan	500	00
" " " " for dona'n	500	00
" " Scotch Grove, Io., for dona'n	272	60
" " Topeka, Kan., for donation	1000	00
" " " " for loan	1000	00
" " Warrensburg, Mo., for loan	300	00
and dona'n	583	00
" " Westminster, Io., for loan	200	00
" for donation	100	00
" " Winchester, Kan. for loan	300	00

DEEDS are held by the Board for the property of the following Congregations: First Chicago, East Brady, Pa., Kansas City, Mo., Second Leavenworth, Kan., Nebraska City, Neb., Omaha, Neb., Oshkosh, and Waupaca, Wis. Also a lease for 99 years of a lot in St. Louis, Mo.

THE LOAN FUND.

It will be seen that during the year $11,592.12 have been received for the Loan Fund, an increase of $2,558 08. The Synod of Iowa has taken a leading interest in this fund, and is making an earnest effort to raise $5,000, its proportion of $100,000. The experience of the past year confirms the Board in its estimate of the importance of this method of rendering assistance, and it is hoped the Assembly will take measures to secure the proposed $100,000 as soon as practicable.

The receipts of the Loan Fund have been:—

For 1871	$ 775 00	
For 1872	9,034 04	
For 1873	11,592 12	
		$21,301 16

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The changes of Regulations of the Board made by the last two Assemblies, render a revision of its Constitution necessary, that it may conform to the present arrangements.

It has been found impossible to restrict the appropriations to the present means of the Board. Applications are presented at all seasons of the year, so that it cannot be known at the beginning of the year what amount of aid will be asked. Afterward the refusal of the applications of Congregations needing assistance just as much would be regarded as injustice. In answer to statements con-

cerning the condition of the Treasury, Congregations urge that the grant be made to give assurance that the work of building may go on. The Assembly is therefore asked to consider whether it would be practicable to require all applications to be presented within a certain time. And, also, if judged advisable, to determine the sum beyond which appropriations may not be made.

Especially is the Assembly asked to remember that *one-ninth* of the organized Congregations of the United Presbyterian Church, have no houses of worship, and that many others are oppressed with debt. They are struggling to maintain an existence; in some cases they will struggle in vain for want of a place in which to meet with their Covenant God. Let us build the house of the Lord by helping them to obtain places of worship, and the Lord will be glorified.

The term of office of Rev. J. W. Witherspoon, Rev. J. S. Sands and Wm. Reed, Esq., will expire with this year.

By order of the Board.

JOHN S. EASTON, *President.*
A. G. WALLACE, *Cor. Sec.*

Pittsburgh, May 12, 1872.

THE BOARD OF PUBLICATION

Would hereby acknowledge the goodness of God towards us and the church of whose interests we are placed in charge in preserving the property and prospering the work entrusted to us, and in disposing and enabling the people of the church, and especially certain liberal individuals, to contribute of their means for carrying on our work.

At the date of our last report our new building was not quite completed. We can now report the work done and the building all occupied except one room. The rent of the rooms occupied yields a handsome profit on the entire cost of the building. This is in addition to the rooms needed and occupied as store and committee rooms. The extra work not settled for was estimated in our last report at $1,000. This with other work, not then contemplated, amounting to some $1,600, has been paid, and the debt then reported has been reduced some $3,500. With the anticipated liberality of the church, and a continued increase of our business, it is hoped the remaining debt of $15,500 will be speedily removed. We will then have a building doing credit to the church, and yielding the means of greatly enlarging our work.

One of the great wants of the church at the present time is a weekly Sabbath school paper. Our present paper being semi-monthly, and most our schools regarding a paper of some kind as a necessity every Sabbath, for every scholar, look elsewhere for their supply, and often introduce among them a literature not always sound in the faith or favorable to our public profession. Hence the Board would again ask the serious consideration of this matter by the Assembly.

The Board would also request the Assembly to determine the number of copies of Minutes to be published, and the manner of distributing them.

A deed has been duly executed by William Reed, Esq., to the lot mentioned in our last as donated by him to form a part of the site of the new building. The interest at 6 per cent. on the estimated value of this ($6,500) and of an additional munificent donation in cash of $1,888 88, in all $500,00 annually, is to be distributed by the Board in Bibles and Testaments with the Psalms, and Psalm Books, in that version which the United Presbyterian church shall consider nearest to the original. This will materially assist in supplying the destitute especially in our mission fields.

No Presbytery has as yet "made application with approved security" as suggested by the last Assembly for the "establishment of an agency within its bounds." The Presbyteries seem to prefer that the Board take all such risks.

The question of establishing Branch Depositories has again been considered by the Board, and we can only say in language already quoted from the Report of the Presbyterian Board of Publication in 1871: "The only way of bringing our books within easy reach of all our people is by *bona fide* sales to responsible book sellers." Until our ministers take a greater interest in our Board, and with our people contribute more liberally to the business and the funds of the Board, it is impossible to establish branch Depositories.

The last Assembly appropriated six thousand dollars to this Board. Of this we have received from the different Presbyteries $3,491.62—(the Presbytery of Xenia with about one-fiftieth of the membership of the church, contributing about one-tenth of this amount).—From a few individuals we have received $1,580, in all $5,071.62.

According to directions of the last Assembly the Board has published the Rules of Order with the Standards, also, an edition of the Standards in abridged form, the chapter and verse of scripture proof being indicated, but not quoted in full. Specimens of the different styles of these standards and of the Bibles and Psalm books, &c., issued by us, will be presented for your inspection.

The financial condition of the Board will be seen from the following exhibit:

I. THE BIBLE FUND.

Assets.			
Lot on Ninth St., first cost,..	$ 24,000		
Building and fixtures,.....	25,147	— 49,147.49	
Bible stock, viz: plates last year,.....	18,464 11		
do " added since,.....	2,690.07	—21,154.18	
Bibles, Psalm books, &c., on hand,.....	13,528.07		
Book accounts, mostly good,.....	13,295.00		
Cash in the treasury,.....	1,485.60		
Note with interest accrued,.....	1,300.00	—29,708.67	—100,010.34
Liabilities.			
Balance of mortgage on lot,.....	5,000		
Temporary loans,.....	10,500		
McElroy Fund Loan.....	10,380		
Indiana Co. Bible Society, Loan,.....	1,433		
Due for Merchandize .... ,.....	2,798		
			30,111.00
Net amount of Bible Fund.....			69,899 34

II. THE PUBLICATION FUND.

Plates reported last year,.....	6,033.49		
Books, stationery, &c..... ..	13,151.33		19,184.82
Net amount of assets belonging to the Board,..			89,084.16
Net amount last year,.....			78,183.16
Net increase,.....			10,901.00
Amount of increase from donations,.....		5,071.62	
Less by amt. of donations by Board of Bibles,.	520.00		
Donations by Psalm books,.....	612.00	— 1,132.00	3,939.62
Leaving as net gain on the business transactions of the Board,.....			6,961.38
or nearly 9 per cent. above all expenses.			
Gross assets,.....		119,195 16	
Liabilities including permanent Loans for Bible and Psalm Book Fund,.....		30,111.000	
Net assets,.....		89,084.16	

We earnestly solicit a liberal appropriation of funds for the ensuing year.

The term of service of Rev. Jno. G. Brown, D D., Rev. J. C. Boyd, and James McCandless, Esq., expires with this meeting of the Assembly.

Respectfully submitted by order of the Board.

S. COLLINS, *Supt.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,

To the General Assembly to meet at Philadelphia, May 28th, 1873.

Pecuniary aid has been given during the past year to thirty-six young men. These are under the care of twenty different Presbyteries. Thenty-three of them are Literary, and thirteen Theological students. They have all been received as beneficiaries on regular testimonials from their Presbyteries, and the reports from the Institutions, literary and theological, at which they are in attendance have been satisfactory.

The following is the state of our finances:

There was in the Treasury at the beginning of the past year, a balance of	$1,572 22
Received from Presbyteries during the year	3,524 38
Bequests, donations, money refunded, and interest paid	789 50
Borrowed	2,000 00
Total receipts during the year	$7,886 10

EXPENDITURES.

Paid beneficiaries	$4,723 65
Paid amount borrowed	2,000 00
Other necessary expenses	462 62
Total expenditures	$7,186 25
Leaving a balance in Treasury at the close of the financial year of	699 85

There is still due beneficiaries on back installments the sum of $175 00, so that the balance available for future use will only be $524 85.

Our actual balance will thus be seen to be only about one-third of what it was a year ago, and a considerable amount in addition will be needed to meet the last installment of the year, which becomes due the first of June.

The Assembly will see that a liberal share of the Church's funds will be needed to enable this Board to do the work committed to it the present year.

The annual report of our Treasurer has been audited and found to be correct, and is, together with the report of the Auditing Committee, herewith transmitted.

THE BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD.

Connected with this report we transmit, in a separate paper, some alterations which have been made in our By-Laws, with the suggestion that they be published for the information of all concerned. The amended form of Article 3d relating to "Grants of Money," is the form which has been for some time in use; but Article 4th relating to "Orders, Notes, &c.," was amended at a recent meeting. The object of the amendment is to save time and labor, and the Board is satisfied from the experience of some of the members in similar lines of business, that the method proposed will be equally accurate.

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

A paper on this subject, containing lists of questions addressed to Theological and Literary Institutions, has been prepared by the Board, to which we respectfully ask the attention of the Assembly and the Church, as well as that of the Institutions themselves.*

The time for which Alexander Young, J. A. Edie and Hugh Nash were elected members now expires. We would request the re-election of Dr. Young and Mr Nash. Brother Edie has been a member of this board since its origin. We would gladly retain him on account of his valuable experience in the affairs of the Board, but as he now resides at a distance from the usual place of meeting. and cannot attend without much inconvenience, and therefor wishes to retire from the Board, we recommend to fill his place Rev. John A. Reynolds.

By order of the Board.

DAVID A. WALLACE, *Sec.* JOHN SCOTT, *President.*
G. D. HENDERSON, *Cor. Sec.*

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Trustees of the General Assembly would respectfully beg leave to report that there has not been any business of public importance attended to by them since your last meeting.

The official term of J. G. Brown, George McCague and J. C. Porter will expire the first of July next. You will please fill their places by re-appointing them or others.

We remain your obedient servants,

By order of the Board. JOHN G. BROWN, *President.*
GRAHAM SCOTT, *Secretary.*

*These questions were published in the papers of the Church, but answers were not received in time to embody the information expected by them in this report.

REPORT ON NARRATIVE AND STATE OF RELIGION.

Reports of 45 Presbyteries have come into the hands of your committee. These reports indicate nothing extraordinary in our history during the past year. Each department of the church's work, as indicated by these reports has made quiet and steady progress. The indications are that the church has enjoyed a year of healthful growth, consequent upon the diligent use of the ordinary means of grace, accompanied by the influence of the Holy spirit. Several new and promising congregations have been organized, and many feeble congregations greatly strengthened. Our ministers so far as reported have been earnest, and, as far as able, active and diligent in the work. Some of them on account of sickness and the infirmities of old age have not been able to do their usual amount of work in the Lord's vineyard. Many of the elders have a good report, and with few exceptions the members of the church are reported as exemplary in their conduct, leading honest and godly lives. The year cannot be designated as one of special revival or Pentecostal outpouring of the Spirit, but would seem to have been one in which the *abiding presence* and silent working of the Holy Ghost has been enjoyed throughout the church.

FAMILY WORSHIP.

Of all institutions the family, as instituted by God, is first in importance, as well as first in time. The whole body of believers is called by this name, as if to indicate that the church finds her archetype in the *Family.* It is perhaps not so extensively true, that families are what the church makes them, as that the church is what families make her. If, therefore, we would enjoy healthy religious growth in the individual heart, and in the church at large, the natural and divinely constituted instrumentality of *household devotion* must not be neglected. It is gratifying to be assured in the reports of Presbyteries, on this subject, that the great majority of our families observe family worship, and that singing of inspired songs of praise generally constitutes a part thereof. The chief exceptions to this appears to be in our larger cities and manufacturing districts. Can the Assembly suggest any thing by which this evil may be remedied in these localities, or wherever it exists? If any thing can be done to induce the observance of family worship where now it appears to be neglected, the spiritual interests of our people, in such places will thereby be greatly improved and their growth in grace promoted. The Family Altar will bring to every family erecting it a blessing such as the ark brought to the house of Obed-edom. *The Lord will bless it and all that pertain to it, because of the ark of the Lord.*

INCREASE BY PROFESSION.

In all our Presbyteries, so far as definite reports have been made, it has pleased God to bless in some degree the labors of his servants, not only in the edification of believers, but also in the conversion of sinners. The saved have been added to the church. God has verified his promise, "My word shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I send it." Only 23 Presbyteries reported definite numbers received on profession of their faith, and some of these had not received full reports from all their congregations, the aggregate thus reported is 1682 and of these 170 were baptized on the profession of their faith, thus indicating that a goodly number have been gathered out of the world and brought into the kingdom of God.

SABBATH SCHOOLS.

Nearly all the Presbyteries send gratifying reports respecting the number and efficiency of Sabbath schools. Generally wherever a congregation is established a Sabbath school is connected therewith. A number of congregations also have mission schools, which appear to be doing good work in instructing the ignorant and pointing them to the "Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world."

HINDERANCES.

Foremost amongst these is the low state of Christian life and religious experience manifested in very many who bear the Christian name. If officers and members of the church understood more fully the liberty of the children of God; if they could say with greater confidence "I know whom I have believed;" if they ran in the way of God's Commandments, *because* they are his saved ones, rather than *in order to be saved*, one professor would put a thousand of the church's enemies to flight, and two would chase ten thousand. Next to this and perhaps a

principal cause of this is a prevalent worldly-mindedness, complained of by almost every Presbytery. Our people need frequent admonition respecting the "cares of this life," and "the deceitfulness of riches." Connected with these hinderances we find mentioned, the want in many places of suitable church edifices, want of regular preaching and administration of ordinances, frequent dissolution of pastoral relations, burdensome church debts, and as coming from outside the church, infidelity in its various phases, influx of an infidel population, circulation of corrupting literature, secret societies, intemperance, and a growing tendency to regard the Sabbath not as a *holy day* but as a *holiday*.

Another source of discouragement and great loss to the whole church, is the shamefully inadequate pecuniary support given to more than one-third of our settled pastors and stated supplies. Several entire Presbyteries report "salaries inadequate," some say "two or three of our pastors have an adequate support, the remainder have not." One says, "Salaries adequate." One, "No complaint." A number say, "Average." And one says, "Low salaries, paid in small installments, six months after they are due, and scarcely any congregation pays the amount promised." These are statements which are disgraceful to the United Presbyterian Church, and they indicate the necessity of the adoption of some plan of sustentation by which every settled pastor may receive permanently and promptly something near a competent support. It is true the United Presbyterian Church has many devoted ministers who cannot be driven from their work by privation or threatened starvation, who, paid or unpaid, will continue while they are able to speak, to preach "the glorious Gospel of the blessed God." But this fact only presents more strongly to the whole church the obligation of the divine order, "even so hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the gospel *should live of the gospel.*" In the light of the Presbyterial reports before us on this subject, we feel constrained to urge this Assembly to devise some effective measure by which this great reproach of our church may be wiped away. Your committee have no favorite scheme to recommend. A permanent sustentation fund would correct this evil. A common fund for all settled ministers would go far in the removal of it. Supplementary aid to a fixed amount and under required conditions wherever bestowed would perhaps be best adapted to the circumstances of our church. In many instances the consolidation of charges or the grouping together of weak congregations in one pastoral charge would remove the difficulty. All we ask is that this Assembly give attention to this matter, and adopt some measure by which all settled Pastors shall receive a competent support.

FOREIGN PRESBYTERIES.

The Presbytery of Egypt reports 92 received on profession of faith. Church members, 431. Average Sabbath attendance, 703. Scholars in schools, 1015. Licensures, 1. Ordinations, 2. The Syrian Mission reports 9 received on profession of faith. Number of communicants, 60. Average Sabbath attendance, 160. In schools, 295.

The Presbytery of Sealkote, India, reports 6 received on profession of faith, 4 adult baptisms, and 12 children baptized. Communicants, 71. Attendance on Sabbath services, 690. Scholars in schools, 106.

The China Mission, sends us this year the record of the first fruits of the labor of our brother in that needy field, since his return. The light is begining to shine into the dark hearts of some of those to whom he has held up the lamp of the gospel. One has been baptized into the name of the Holy Trinity, and we trust that 'ere long, many shall say, I am the Lord's, and surname themselves by the name of Israel.

These reports indicate that the labors of our brethren in foreign fields are owned of God and that the seed sown in faith and watered with tears, is taking root, and bringing forth fruit, and that 'ere long many sheaves will be gathered to the praise and glory of the Lord of the Harvest.

ISOLATED FACTS.

A number of our congregations have adopted the plan of raising all their funds by weekly, voluntary contributions, and so far as heard from, with one or two exceptions, the system works well. Believing this plan of supporting the church more scriptural than the plans generally adopted by our congregations, your committee suggests that it would be well for this Assembly to recommend all our congregations to adopt some system of weekly contributions for all church purposes. By thus giving systematically and frequently, it is believed the aggregate of funds collected will be greater, and our people will also come to regard giving for religious purposes in its true light along with other acts of religious worship.

The new and revised version of the Psalms is now used by perhaps two-thirds of our congregations, and is reported as very acceptable whenever used. One Presbytery reports it "in general use with quite general satisfaction." Another says, "All our settled congregations use the Revised Psalms. We regard them a great addition and help to our cause in our bounds."

Expository preaching is generally approved and practiced by our ministers at least one part of the day; and if the scriptures are able to make wise unto salvation, and if the sincere milk of the word is promotive of Christian growth, this, as in the past history of our church, will doubtless prove an efficient means in the instruction and edification of our people.

During the past session in our Theological Seminaries 91 students have been in attendance, and Presbyteries have reported the licensure of 26, and during the year 24 ordinations. It also appears that our people generally are firmly attached to our distinctive principles and simple forms of worship, and that one or two of our congregations which had been induced to stray into other pasture grounds, have returned again to us, because of their preference for an inspired Psalmody. It is also with satisfaction we find our people every where throughout the country, with but few exceptions, reported as opposed to *moderate or social drinking*, and in favor of *total abstinance.*

OBITUARY RECORD.

Death has sadly broken our ministerial ranks during the past year. The following eleven (11) names will no more be called in any of our church courts.

NAME.	AGE.	DATE.	PLACE.	PRESBYTERY.	COLLEGE.	SEMINARY.
Joseph White,.....	52	July 12, '72,	Knoxville, Iowa,	Des Moines,	Wash'ton, Pa.	Allegheny.
James Law,.....	62	July 26, "		Philadelphia,	Union,	Canonsburg.
John Hadden,.....	34	Aug. 25, "	Albia, Iowa,	Des Moines,	Muskingum,	Allegheny & Xenia.
R. B. Robertson,.....	33	Sept. 14, "	Freeport, Pa.,	Butler,	Franklin, O.,	Allegheny.
Jas. Patterson, D D.	61	Sept. 23, "	Washington, Iowa,	Keokuk,	Jefferson, Pa.	Canonsburg.
Matthew McKinstry,.	69	Dec. 10, "	West Newton, Pa.,	Westmoreland,	W. Univ., Pittsburgh,	Allegheny.
David Strang,.....	73	Dec. 8, "	Monmouth, Ills.,	Tennessee,	St. Andrews University.	Canonsburg.
W. S. Bratton,.....	50	Jan. 11, '73.	Coultersville, Ills.,	Southern Ills.,	Miami Uni., Ohio.	
Wm. Lorimer,.....	63	Jan. 30, "	Olena, Ills.,	Monmouth,	Franklin, O.	Allegheny.
Wm. Wright,.....		March 24, "	Grand Rapids, O.,	Sidney,		Associate at Service.
Joseph Scroggs, D D.	81	April 21, "	Ligonier, Pa.,	Westmoreland,	Jefferson, Pa.	

Two of these dear brethren were active members of the last Assembly, and one of them had been elected delegate to this Assembly, but a Higher Court changed his appointment, and he is gone, as we trust, to the General Assembly and Church of the first-born in Heaven. Some of them were veterans covered with the glory of many well fought battles, and some were yet in the vigor of youth and full of hope as they looked to the future. We shall miss them. Meetings of our Assembly and Synods and Presbyteries will have a sombrous loneliness, and will scarce appear to us what they have been, now that these loved faces will no more be seen amongst us. Wherever they were known they will be missed, but He whose eye surveys the whole field, and whose doings are all in wisdom, has released them from toil, and as we believe given them the "well done" and the "Crown," and received them to the rest and honors of the Heavenly Home. From their vacant pulpits and from their graves so lately closed issues the call to us "What thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." *Work while it is day for the night cometh.*

In this brief review of the past year we cannot fail to see that as a church we have, in many respects, occasion for humiliation, and may well cry out with Ezra "O my God! I am ashamed and blush to lift up my face to thee." But we find, too, that there are facts, clear unmistakable facts, which should fill our hearts with exceeding joy. God has not withheld from us the evidence of his presence and power. He has not left us to run in vain or labor in vain.

And now as we turn away from the past and address ourselves to the work of another year, may it be with a fuller consecration of heart to Christ. A firmer

faith in our Covenant God, and an abiding assurance that as in the past Jehovah of Hosts has been mindful of us and blessed us, so in the future He will be mindful of us, and more and more bless us.

And as the Angel of His presence leads us through the wilderness and toward the Promised Land, let our voices swell the song, and our hearts echo the prayer of Moses, the man of God:

> "Thy work unto thy servants show,
> Thy glory let their children know,
> And let there be on us bestowed
> The beauty of the Lord our God:
> The work accomplished by our hand
> Let it by thee established stand."

A. CALHOUN, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

QUARTERLY CONTRIBUTIONS.

According to the instructions of the last Assembly, the Committee recommended, quarterly, appropriate objects for the contributions of the Sabbath Schools throughout the Church. How far these recommendations have been acted on by the Schools, or to what extent they have been effective, the Committee have, at present, no means of knowing.

MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

At the several meetings of the Committee, questions concerning the efficiency of the Sabbath School work, were discussed; but owing to the limited instructions and powers given to the Committee by the Assembly, no efficient action could be taken.

SCHEDULE OF QUESTIONS.

Towards the close of the year, a schedule of questions was prepared and sent to every School in the Church. The design of the Committee in sending out these questions, was to ascertain, as far as possible, the exact condition of the Schools, and of the work that is doing in them. We regret to say, that a large proportion of the Schools have either not forwarded their reports, or have not sent them in time to be of service to the Committee in preparing this report. Sufficient information, however, has been furnished by this means to enable us to form an intelligent judgment in relation to the matters herein referred to.

SCHOLARS IN THE SCHOOLS.

There are probably about 60 000 scholars in the schools of the Church. A small majority of these are females. Of the whole number, nearly two-thirds are under sixteen years of age. Probably about one-fifth are children whose parents are not identified with the Church. The fact is worthy of note. The great design of the Sabbath School, as originally instituted, was to instruct outcast and neglected children. It would appear from the information we have, that the Schools of our Church are doing the main part of their work with the children of the Church, and that the aggressive labor among the children of the world is comparatively insignificant. This will be made to appear still more strikingly in a subsequent part of this report.

ATTENDANCE OF THE CHILDREN AT CHURCH.

Compared with the state of things in some other branches of the Church, it may be gratifying to the Assembly to know, that in the majority of cases, *all* of the children attend upon the services of worship in our congregations. In many cases where absolutely all do not attend, the large proportion are reported as attending. It is a matter of regret, however, to have to report, that there are not a few instances returned to the Committee, in which only three-fourths, two-thirds, one-half, one-third, one-fourth and even but one-fifth of the children are present in the Churches to hear the gospel preached on the Sabbath. In these cases they attend the Sabbath School, and then retire to their homes, or to spend the Sabbath in idleness, or in active disecration of the holy day. It is to be feared that this tendency to separate the work of the Sabbath School from the services of the Church

is increasing, especially in the larger towns and cities. If it shall go on until the children generally cease to hear the gospel preached, the result of the Church must be disastrous. In our ardor in behalf of the Sabbath School work, the fact must not be overlooked that the *preaching of the gospel* is God's great ordinance for the conversion of sinners, and the edification of saints, and that it is this ordinance for the conversion and edification of *children*, as well as of those in more advanced life. What a commentary, for instance, is presented in a single sentence from a pastor in one of these reports, viz.: "Children under sixteen years, rarely in the Church." This suggests the deplorable consideration that the children are withheld from the influence of the pastor while preaching the gospel, and just at that time of life when they are most likely to be impressed. Better, in the judgment of your Committee, that the whole Sabbath School work should be abandoned, the children of the Church remitted to their parents' training at home, and to be brought by them to the house of God, and that the children of the world be brought directly into our Churches to hear the gospel preached, than that the Sabbath School should be the means of drawing the children away from the preaching of the Word. The Committee cannot but urge this matter upon the attention of the Assembly, and express the hope that it witl receive most careful and prayerful consideration.

BENEFICENCE IN THE SCHOOLS.

It is gratifying to know that in many of the Schools, the spirit of beneficence is being cultivated. Where this is done it cannot but produce a good effect upon the children now, and train them for greater good when they shall have become active members of the Church. There are not a few Schools, however, in which it would appear that nothing is being done in this regard. We think it would be well for the Assembly again to urge this matter upon the attention of all the Schools. Even the poorest and weakest of these by adopting a system of giving, will do good and receive good. A pastor says, in his report, "We take collections every month;" and adds, "Every child in the Sabbath School could give a cent per month. What a help that would be. Some of our scholars give twenty-five cents a month." If this were done generally, or better still, if a collection were taken at every session of each School, we cannot doubt great good would result.

EXPENSES DEFRAYED.

Our reports from the Schools show us, that, in many cases, the expenses of the Schools are defrayed by the Schools. In some cases this burden falls on the teachers and officers, and in one case it is reported to us that the Superintendent alone pays the expense. We cannot but regard this as wrong. The congregations should shoulder this burden All of the members are, or should be, equally interested in the work of the Sabbath School, and if some of them give their time and energies to the work as teachers and officers, they should not be required to bear, in addition, the whole financial burden.

PASTORS EMPLOYED.

It is a matter of interest and gratification to report, that the pastors generally are active in the Sabbath School work. They are employed either as superintendents, or teachers of Bible-classes, in having the general care and oversight of the Schools, or in aiding the teachers in the preparation of their lessons. This is right. A few pastors, however, seem to have nothing to do with their Schools. It is difficult to see how these can excuse themselves from this part of pastoral work.

PREACHING TO THE CHILDREN.

It is found that in many cases the pastors preach special sermons to the children. In others, they endeavor to make the whole, or some part of each discourse specially appropriate to the young. A few seem to give no special attention to this, either from what they term a want of the "gift" of preaching to children, or else from neglect or oversight. The Committee would not express any judgment as to the comparative advantages of preaching special sermons to the children, or adapting the whole, or a part of each discourse to them. Circumstances may have some control in these cases; but we have no hesitation in saying that every pastor should preach to the children in whatever way he may judge will be most to their edification. If any one has not the *gift*, it should be cultivated in him, under the influence of the Lord's command to Peter, "Feed my lambs."

THE ELDERS AT WORK.

The reports from the Schools show us that the elders generally are interested and active in the Sabbath School work. This is as it should be. In some cases, however, we have reports of elders who are not infirm, or otherwise incapacitated, and yet are taking no part, at least directly in this labor. How any elder, who is not infirm, or too distant from the work, with the word of God in his hand, reading therein the duties and responsibilities of his office, and with the vows of that office upon him, can neglect, or refuse to help in the Sabbath School, is a mystery. He certainly does not understand the teachings of the Word in relation to his office, or he has a conscience that greatly needs quickening by the Spirit of God.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED.

Statistics appear to show that there are a few more male teachers and officers than females, employed in the Sabbath School work. The preponderance in favor of the males, is no doubt owing to the fact that the elders are generally at work. The exhibit clearly places our christian women in the van in this, as in every good work, which she can do for her Master.

TEACHERS NOT TRAINED.

The Committee asked of pastors and superintendents the important question, "Are your teachers trained in any special way for their work?" To this question we have answers almost invariably in the negative. In many cases the pastor explains the lesson in advance by means of a lecture upon it; or the pastor, superintendent and teachers, go over the lesson together. There can be no doubt that much aid may be given to teachers in this way, and that they are thereby better qualified for their work with their classes. What the Committee had specially in view, however, was to ascertain whether or not teachers are trained in any special way for their work before entering upon it. We are not certain from the answers returned, that there is a single instance in the Church in which teachers are prepared beforehand for entering upon their labors. The plan throughout the Church seems to be to select the more intelligent, especially of the younger members, and without any training, give them classes to teach. In some cases the more intelligent members cannot be induced to take part in the work, and those having it in charge are compelled to take from among the membership just such material as they can get. We submit to the Assembly, that in view of the importance of the work committed to teachers in the Sabbath School, this condition of things ought not to exist or be longer tolerated, if any means can be devised by which it can be remedied. A work is given these teachers to do, which is second in importance only to preaching the gospel. For the preaching of the Word, our young men are trained for years. No Presbytery would think of licensing a young man without this careful preparation. Yet teachers in the Sabbath School go into a work approaching the preaching of the gospel in its importance, with no special previous training for this work. Would such a course be pursued in the matter of a mere secular education? Would any community select from its own number even its best educated members, and place them in common schools as teachers without any special preparation for their work? As a matter of fact this is not done in the common school, and yet it is just what is done in the Sabbath School. In the judgment of the Committee, this should not be so. The time was when such a course of procedure might have been profitable and successful; but that time has passed. We cannot thus continue to act in the midst of the general enlightment of this day. Teachers must be prepared especially for the discharge of this duty. The Assembly should direct the Presbyteries, or the Church Sessions, in relation to it. In every Presbytery there should be Schools established for the purpose of this training; or if this be impracticable, then every pastor and session should be directed to take pious members of their respective charges under their care and train them in reference to this work. Let there be established in each congregation a miniature theological Seminary—a pastor's class to be trained for christian work, and with special reference to the Sabbath School. If it be necessary, let the Assembly arrange a course of study, suggest, or provide suitable textbooks, that the work may be done systematically and efficiently.

This may seem to be an advanced position in relation to this course, and difficult of attainment, but it is the conviction of the Committee, that the importance of the cause demands some such course of action. The good results, we are pursuaded, would speedily be manifest in the Sabbath School, and in other departments of christian work.

RESULTS OF THE WORK.

The Committee can only approximate the number actually brought into the Church through the Sabbath School during the year. It is probable that the num-

ber would be about 2,000. It can hardly be doubted that these are more intelligent, and hence more efficient members of the Church, than they would have been without the instruction which they have received in the Sabbath School. Still the results seems to be small when compared with the amount of labor expended. This increase would not give an average of more than three or four to each congregation throughout the Church. This seems to indicate a want of efficiency in the good work.

But this becomes still more manifest when we consider that the great majority of those thus received on profession of their faith, were the children of the Church, and would probably in most cases have made a profession of their faith independently of the Sabbath School. It is probable that not 500 members have been brought in from the world by means of the Sabbath School during the year. This would not give an average of *one to each congregation*, throughout the Church. We have certainly painful indication in this, that the Sabbath Schools are failing comparatively in that which should be their great object: namely, gathering in the children of the world. It is certainly necessary that our Schools should have more of the missionary spirit and character.

We may add, that these facts seem to argue strongly for the special training of workmen, and also for increased prayer for the power of the Holy Spirit who alone can make this or any work efficient.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

The Committee would take time to note further, that uniform lessons are used in probably more than one-half of the Schools. Teachers' meetings are held in connection with many Schools. and with good results. The Shorter Catechism is generally used in the reading classes. One School reports a class of ten in the Larger Catechism. A few Schools report that they do not use the Shorter Catechism. The Assembly should give counsel to these in this important matter.

The revised and new versions of the Psalms have been generally introduced, and we judge, from the reports, with good effect in the service of praise. A majority of the Schools report that they have libraries. The almost unanimous judgment is, that these are not essential to the welfare of the Schools. A few Schools report that they are essential, especially if properly selected. The general decision is against them—many pastors and superintendents condemning them in no measured terms. It is believed that this adverse judgment is mainly owing to the kind of books that are generally provided for the Sabbath School libraries. It is seen that they are of such a character as to cultivate a taste for light reading, and thus produce only injurious results. This is certainly a matter demanding most serious attention on the part of the Assembly, and the Board of Publication. The young people will read something. The Church is under obligation to see, so far as it may be possible, that proper reading matter is provided for them.

DANGEROUS TENDENCY.

The Committee would express the fear, from intimations in the reports, that the Sabbath School is made the occasion of neglecting home-training on the part of parents. This is not a necessary result of the Sabbath School work; but if it, even innocently, becomes the occasion of neglecting family instruction, the result can be nothing but evil. The Assembly should issue instruction and warning in this matter. All will join in the prayer of a pastor accompanying one of the reports to the Committee: "May God teach parents to use the Sabbath School without abusing it to the neglect of home religion and instruction."

SHOULD A PERMANENT COMMITTEE BE CONTINUED.

In conclusion the Committee would suggest to the Assembly, whether it is necessary to continue the Permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools, with their present limited instructions and powers. It hardly seems to be requisite to have a Committee to gather statistics which are much more fully obtained with the regular congregational returns. If there is to be a Permanent Committee, would it not be wise to so far enlarge their duties as to instruct them to put themselves in communication with the Synods, as the Boards now do? By this means co-operation and uniformity of work would be secured. This would naturally lead to the holding of Sabbath School conventions, institutes, &c., when these might be found expedient, or useful. In addition to this, the Committee might be directed to prepare, or select uniform lessons for the year. Many of the Schools are using such at present, but these are taken as already prepared by other Churches or Committees. The notes on these lessons might be prepared by the Committee, or they might be entrusted with the responsibility of selecting persons to prepare them. Such an important part of the instruction given to the youth, should be under the

care and oversight of judicious persons chosen from time to time by the Church. As matters now are, many of our Schools are using lessons prepared by other Churches, or joint Committees, and, of course, there is no instruction in the best of these in relation to the principles, polity, and special work of our Church.

If the judgment of the Assembly be that the work of the Permanent Committee should thus be enlarged, it would be necessary for the Assembly to choose a Secretary, who would have the burden of the work, and pay him a moderate salary for his labors. Of course, he should be required always to act by the advice and concurrence of the Committee, of which he would be a member.

RESOLUTIONS.

The Committee recommend the following resolutions for adoption by the Assembly:

1. *Resolved*, That pastors and sessions having, according to the Directory of Worship, the special oversight and control of the Sabbath School, should in every case be deeply interested in its work and welfare, and should use every means in their power to secure, if possible, the attendance of all the children of the School upon the regular services of public worship in the congregation.

2. *Resolved*, That pastors should study to adapt their sermons specially to the young, thus obeying Christ's injunction, "Feed my Lambs."

3. *Resolved*, That the special training of teachers for their work, before entering upon it, is a matter of great importance, and that this Assembly will appoint a Committee to report a plan by which Presbyteries or Sessions may be guided in accomplishing this work systematically and efficiently.

4 *Resolved*, That the Sabbath School should be made more aggressive in its work, that its special mission is to gather in and instruct those who have no religious training, and no one to care for their souls.

5. *Resolved*, That while the Bible is the great text-book, the Catechisms, especially the Shorter, and Brown's, should be taught in all the Sabbath Schools.

6. *Resolved*, That libraries for the Schools should be selected with the utmost care, or entirely dispensed with.

7. *Resolved*, That contributions should be made in all the Schools weekly, and that in all cases these should be for benevolent purposes.

8 *Resolved*, That the expenses of each School should be borne by the congregation with which it is connected.

9. *Resolved*, That parental training is of the first importance, and should in no case be omitted, or transferred to the Sabbath School.

10. *Resolved*, That a Permanent Committee on Sabbath Schools be appointed by this Assembly, and also a Secretary, who shall be *ex-officio* a member of said Committee; that it be the duty of said Secretary and Committee to communicate with Synods, and, as far as possible, with Presbyteries, to concur in holding institutes, or conventions, where these may be deemed expedient or necessary; to select uniform lessons for the Schools, prepare notes upon these for teachers and scholars, or select competent persons to perform this work; that the Secretary of this Committee be paid $——— annually for his services, and that his term of office, and also that of the Committee, be for the period of three years.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. BARR, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE AGENT OF THE CHINA BUILDING FUND.

The Special Agent of the China Building Fund would submit the following:

Amount Contributed		$1,905 31
Forwarded to T. B. Rich	$1,892 19	
Printing, Postage, &c	13 12	
		$1,905 31

Of this amount, about $200 00 was contributed by Sabbath Schools and children.

The amount reported last year was $9,492.12, which added to the $1,905.31 of this year, makes $11.397.43 as the total contributed to the Building Fund; leaving $602.69 yet to be raised.

The Agent will not be considered intrusive, if he expresses a hope that the General Assembly will authorize the work to be carried on till it is completed.

The Church means that the full amount shall be given; as the failure to furnish it this year was doubtless due to the fact that those who contributed slightly underestimated their proportion. The prayers of the Church should accompany their offerings; then it may expect a blessing for itself and for China.

J. R. JOHNSON, *Special Agent.*

STATISTICS OF THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA FOR 1873.

1. PRESBYTERIAL STATISTICS.

EXPLANATIONS.—*, Last year's Report. †, Parsonage. A figure in Parentheses, as (2), the number of Sabbath Schools in a congregation. A fraction, as ½, the portion of the ministers' time taken by a congregation. The number in the footing of the column "Months Open," is the *average* for the Presbytery. *Inf.*, Infirm. *Unem.*, Unemployed. S. C., Stated Clerk.

Ministers and Correspondents for Vacancies.	Post Office and State.	Congregation.	Communicants.	Increase: Profession.	Increase: Certificates.	Decrease.	Baptisms: Infant.	Baptisms: Adult.	Contributions: Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregation.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Amount.	Average per Member.	Salary by Assembly.	Sabbath Schools: Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Contributions.
ALBANY.																									
S. F. Morrow, D.D.	Albany, N. Y.	Albany	239	8	8	22	12	.....	108	126	105	46	20	5	5	118	1500	890	2923	12 23	.....	12	26	160	203
J. A. Williamson	Johnstown, do	Johnstown	106	7	4	6	....	3	45	30	10	20	3	1	2	1123	1000	297	2531	23 87	.....	12	9	100	.....
R. D. Williamson	Troy, do	Troy†	78	3	1	9	6	.....	88	71	73	265	5	.....	10	50	1000	650	2212	28 36	.....	12	14	70	60
Robert Rogers	Van Vechten do	Florida†	110	4	2	2	1	1	57	41	25	8	5	.....	2	10	800	641	1589	14 44	.....	10	10	80	.....
David Anderson	West Galway, do	West Galway	39		.....	2	2	.....	13	8	7	4	2	.....	1	12	550	95	692	17 74	200	12	4	25	8
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Wm. Walker	Perth Centre, do	Brodalbin†	102	1	2	3	1	.....	26	40	.....	18	9	.....	.....	40	700	30	863	8 46	.....	8	11	40	6
Geo. Forsythe	Lisbon Centre, do	Lisbon†	100		.....	.....	2	.....	20	15	10	6	6	2	2	58	700	30	849	8 49	.....	6	7	60	5
Without Charge.		West Charlton †8																							
J. L. Clark	Indianapolis, Ind.																								
W. N. Randles, 7																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 8.	774	23	17	44	24	4	357	331	230	367	50	8	22	1411	6250	2633	11659	16 23	200	10½	81	535	282
ALLEGHENY.																									
W. J. Robinson	Allegheny, Pa.	1st Allegheny, Pa.	405	12	13	16	16	.....	676	364	397	36	36	12	20	1275	1800	2600	7216	17 81	.....	12	26	224	162
W. H. McMillan	do do	2d do do	425	30	29	.....	30	.....	1018	350	325	100	50	25	35	2000	3000	3167	10070	23 69	.....	12	35	300	628
J. W. Bain, P. E.	do do	3d do do	390	4	15	77	20	.....	300	213	130	40	40	20	10	980	1334	1350	4417	11 32	.....	12	25	166	100
Wm. Fulton	do do	4th do do	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	300	120	24	40	10	.....	40	2500	4000	7334	29 33	.....	12	30	180	200
J. W. Witherspoon, S. C.	do do	5th do do	385	29	34	23	44	2	197	180	147	10	10	9	.....	277	2000	1389	4219	10 95	.....	12	24	300	200
A. D. Clark, D.D.	do do	6th do do	193	4	33	14	11	1	160	180	120	10	38	10	20	185	1500	3326	5549	28 75	.....	12	15	120	228
J. M. Johnston	do do	Central do do	191	19	174	2	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1250	2177	3427	17 94	.....	12	29	353	509
J. H. Timmons	Tarentum, do	Tarentum	*150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wm. G. Reed	Springdale, do	Harmerville	*119	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
A. H. Calvert	Etna, do	Etna	100	10	15	10	9	.....	30	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	3700	4570	45 70	400	12	15	125	50
S. M. Hood	Bakerstown, do	Deer Creek	214	11	6	16	19	2	191	119	115	30	20	7	10	.....	1000	200	1692	7 89	.....	12	19	140	61
J. A. Brandon	Dorseyville, do	East Union	130	7	7	29	8	.....	55	51	72	9	3	6	7	.....	1000	20	1223	9 45	.....	6	.....	...	.....
D. S. Kennedy	Sewickley, do	Sewickley	112	1	9	12	7	.....	128	71	54	11	11	4	....	1460	1800	450	3989	35 61	.....	12	12	69	100
J. T. Wright	Bakerstown, do	Glade Run	136	9	5	9	12	1	60	60	5	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	103	1160	8 53	.....	12	15	160	75
J. S. Brandon, P. E.	Ogle, do	Mt. Pleasant, ½	90	4	4	7	8	.....	.....	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	50	504	5 60	.....	5	10	60	.....
do.	do do	Evansburg, ½	130	8	3	14	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	500	315	815	6 26	.....	4	7	54	.....
D. M. Thorn, S. S.	Emsworth, do	Fleming	39	3	2	4	.....	1	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	457	281	764	19 60	225	12	8	35	.....

Ministers and Correspondents for Vacancies.	Post Office and State.	Congregation.	Communicants.	Increase		Decrease.	Baptisms.		CONTRIBUTIONS.												Salary by Assembly.	Sabbath Schools.			
				Profession.	Certificates.		Infant.	Adult.	Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund.	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregation.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Amount.	Average per Member.		Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Contributions.
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
W. H. Hamilton	Pittsburgh, do	Bellvue	21	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	6200	6500	309 55	250	12	5	35	.....
John Ross	Bakerstown, do	West Union	*110																						
John Holmes	Tallecavey, do	Tallecavey	41	2	4	11	3	.....	30	20	7	8	4	3	2	45	348	.....	467	11 39	.....	8	12	80	8
John H. Richie	Emsworth, do	Mt. Nebo—21	92	29	5	6	7	.....	147	17	1	5	.....	1	8	50	800	100	1129	12 28	.....	7	15	100	16
John White	Allegheny, do	Union M. S. S.																							
Without Charge.																									
T. C. Guthrie, D. D., Inf.	Ogle, do																								
Saml. Collins Supt. B. Pub.	559th st. Pitts. do																								
Joseph T. Cooper, *Prof.* 18	Allegheny, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 2.	*Sab. Schools*, 22.	3723	182	356	252	221	7	3302	2029	1499	315	252	107	112	6312	21689	29428	65045	19 44	875	10.3	302	2501	2437
ARGYLE.																									
W. E. Henning, S. C.	Nth Argyle, N.Y.	North Argyle†	190	10	5	7	7	1	140	140	20	15	10	3	16	450	1000	200	2011	10 53	.....	12	24	120	20
W. B. Shortt	Cambridge, do	Cambridge†	98	8	1	2	4	.....	71	68	.....	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	2600	3767	38 43	.....	12	8	61	.....
Henry Gordon	Coila, do	Coila†	200	5	.....	1	8	1	180	122	.....	31	.....	.....	.....	221	1200	250	2155	10 77	.....	12	9	150	151
J. H. Andrew	South Argyle, do	South Argyle†	235	9	3	7	15	2	170	93	100	20	20	7	12	268	800	100	1590	6 76	.....	10	12	70	.....
J. R. Fisher	West Hebron, do	Hebron†	*292																						
G. M. Wiley	do do	West Hebron†	160	.....	1	10	5	.....	135	100	77	197	15	5	5	.....	900	281	1765	11 30	.....	12	18	150	50
W. B. Gladstone	E. Greenwich do	East Greenwich†	120	5	5	11	4	1	75	64	50	10	10	4	3	225	800	115	1391	11 59	.....	12	10	60	35
J. B. Clapperton	Shushan, do	East Salem†	70	5	.....	3	1	.....	31	28	8	150	.....	.....	.....	15	800	82	1122	16 20	.....	12	7	50	8
W. A, Mackenzie,	Salem, do	Salem †	235	10	9	14	10	.....	103	75	58	11	11	5	.....	535	1500	4600	6769	28 80	.....	12	17	202	71
Samuel Bigger	Putnam, do	Putnam†	146	4	1	2	3	.....	18	20	12	18	10	12	.....	58	900	50	1101	7 54	.....	6	10	50	3
Correspondent.		*Vacancy.*																							
Edward Riggs	Argyle, do	Argyle†—11	371	.....	1	69	4	.....	289	150	75	50	.....	5	.....	248	658	228	1703	4 59					
Without Charge.																									
George Mairs, Inf	Argyle, do																								
J. B. Scouller, Inf.	Newville, Pa.																								
J. W. Harsha, Inf.	Sth Argyle, N. Y.																								
M. B. Williams, Inf.	Cambridge, do																								
G. M. Hall, Inf.	do do																								
John Crawford, F. M.	Damascus, Syria																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 10.	2117	56	26	126	61	5	1212	860	400	530	76	41	36	1820	9558	8506	23374	21 35	.....	11	115	913	338
BEAVER VALLEY.																									
S. Patterson	Darlington, Pa.	Rocky Spring,	135	7	8	30	10	.....	105	77	60	12	12	4	.....	15	1000	110	1395	10 33	.....	6	8	75	.....
H. Sturgeon	do do	Darlington	98	3	7	8	4	1	29	29	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	600	50	736	7 51	.....	6	6	70	.....
J. H. Peacock	Princeton, do	Center ½	178	4	5	23	4	.....	97	49	30	7	10	24	.....	22	700	71	1010	5 67	.....	6	13	135	25

A. G. Wallace	New Brighton, do	New Brighton	169	9	13	15	6	3	38	42	45	6	5	5		16	1100	871	2128	12 59		12	16	110	57
H. R. McClelland	Mt. Jackson, do	Mt. Jackson	196	16	3	8	7	2	136	100	78	20	10	5		90	900	175	1514	7 29		12	13	130	41
J. I. Frazer, S. C.	Beaver Falls, do	Beaver Falls	90	3	17	20	7		18	10	7	1	1	1		15	345	484	882	9 80	175	12	10	60	30
J. C. Evans	Freedom, do	Remington, ½	28	3	4	2	1		4	3	2					21	285	14	329	11 75		6	3	20	8
do	do do	Oakland, ½	28		7		3										200	217	417	14 89	125	6	5	25	3
J. A. Wilson	Beaver, do	Beaver	135	5	10	13	9	1	140	140				10	25	50	1200	150	1715	12 70		12	15	100	150
J. B. Whitten, S. S.	Pittsburgh, do	Neshannock, ½	77	1	2	2	4		138	26	8		6	5		21	500	91	795	10 32		12	16	123	58
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Wm. H. Leslie	Moravia, do	Bethel	84	3	10	6	1		9	32				4		17	560	60	682	8 12		10	7	46	
John Slater	Wurtemburg, do	Camp Run	50	1	49		1										297	28	325	6 50		12	5	73	
James Nevin	New Waterford, O.	E. Palestine	60	2	2	4	2		66	24	18	4	4	1			286	30	433	7 21					
John Slentz	Black Hawk, Pa.	Four Mile	128	4	4	15	6		45	25	8	3	3	3	3	30	312	4000	4432	34 63					
J. H. Cline	Princeton, do	Hermon	80																						
J. J. Lowry	Lowellville, O	Mahoning	115	1	1	4	5		132	63	49	9	10	3	4	18	398	46	732	6 37		12	12	169	63
R. M. Eckles	Portersville, Pa.	Mountville	106	2	6	24	13		81	49	15	3	7	6	5	5	600	43	814	7 68		12	12	68	14
Joseph Kissick	New Castle, do	New Castle	310	8	19	27	6		81	65						33	2000	400	2579	8 32		12	10	100	81
George Dickson	Lowellville, O.	Poland	53	4	2	4	3	1	50	28	21	4	4	1	4		250	20	382	7 20		12	7	40	14
G. C. Minis	Baden, Pa.	Rehoboth	37	2	1	6	3		5	8	4	2	1				245	10	275	7 43					
Robert Mehard	Wurtemberg, do	Wurtemburg	112	8	4	54	17		18	12	7	3	3		2	25	500	456	1026	9 16		6	8	30	10
		Clarkson																							
		Harbor, 23																							
Without Charge.																									
D. H. A. M'Lean, D.D.	Beaver, do																								
G. M'Elheny	Darlington, do																								
S. Alexander	do do																								
J. Patterson	Beaver, do																								
D. D. Christy	Portersville, do																								
J. W. Bain,—15	Allegheny, do																								
Licentiates, 2.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 17.	2269	86	174	265	112	8	1192	782	375	74	76	72	43	383	12278	7326	22601	10 32	300	10	166	1374	554
BIG SPRING.																									
W. L. Wallace	Newville, Pa.	Big Spring, †	213	9	5	7	13	1	335	274	89	28	18	9	48	56	1200	2264	4321	20 28		12	8	40	13
Samuel Jamison	Union, do	Guinston, ⅔	165	3	6	4	12		73	58	13	8	3	4	5	13	563	89	829	5 02		6	20	140	28
do	do do	Hopewell, ⅓	70			3			18	15	9	3	3	2			271	55	376	5 37		5	13	48	7
R. G. Fergerson	Mercersburg, do	Mercersburg, ½	50	2		3			16	19	3	2			1		400	95	536	10 72		12	12	50	
do	do do	Cave, ½	37	1	1	8		1	36	46	16	13	10	10	13		400	50	594	18 75					
F. M'Burney	Mexico, do	Mexico	63	3	2	4	1		20	14	2	2	2			20	800	134	994	15 77		12	13	84	
John Jamison	Gettysburg, do	Gettysburg, ⅔	80	1		3	2		25	16	6					15	467	90	619	7 73	83	12	5	20	20
do	do do	Duncannon, ⅓	20				1			3							233	10	246	12 00	42				
J. A. M'Gill	McCoysville, do	Tuscarora, ¾	135	6		5	2	2	50	24							750	150	974	7 22		8	12	40	29
do	do do	Concord, ¼	48	2	1	6	6	1	19	19	164	3	3	2	4	41	200	5	460	9 58		8	6	25	
J. M. Adair, S. C.	McAlevy's Ft. do	Stone Valley, (2).	180	13	3	5	6	2	90	33	26	13	6	3	3		850	274	1298	7 1 2		12	20	105	31
Correspondent.		*Vacancies.*																							
Samuel A. Smith	Airville, do	L'r Chanceford, 12	95	6	1	5	6	1									350	343	693	7 27		5	10	65	
Without Charge.																									
Chauncy Webster	Mercersburg, do																								
Wm. Carlile	Shippensburg, do																								
D. G. Bruce,—10																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 10.	1156	46	19	53	49	8	682	521	328	72	45	30	74	145	6484	3559	11940	10 24	125	9	119	617	128

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BLOOMINGTON.																									
J. C. Bigham	Piper City, Ill.	New Brenton	124	5	3	6	8	3	24	35	.....	20	.....	8	.....	40	650	70	847	6 83	100	12	12	60	
J. D. Whitham	Rankin, do	Sugar Branch	86	2	6	5	4	.....	41	35	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	20	300	1500	1911	22 22	125	6	8	60	12
J. V. Pringle	Pana, do	Pana	91	7	6	3	12	1	25	25	25	20	4	2	1	10	725	315	1152	12 66	125	12	11	80	50
J. L. Fairley, S.S.	Bloomington, do	White Oak Grove	57	4	5	8	4	.....	8	2	2	2	1	2	.. .	50	600	150	817	14 33					
Wm. M. Richie, S. C.	Paxton, do	Paxton	133	14	13	18	12	.....	35	.....	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	25	1000	500	1700	12 78	.....	12	12	100	100
Wm. Bruce	Washburne, do	Low Point	75	6	3	.....	5	.....	45	26	10	10	6	.....	.....	.....	700	100	897	11 96	.....	12	10	70	40
T. G. Morrow	Wenona, do	Wenona	47	.....	2	5	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	675	100	775	16 48	125	12	5	40	
John Harper	Smithville, do	Harmony	54	.....	3	1	6	.....	35	22	9	2	.....	.....	.....	100	500	8	676	12 51					
do	do do	Bethel	58	.....	.....	3	6	.....	75	54	.....	9	8	3	.....	160	500	35	844	14 55					
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
T. C. McCaughey, M. D.	Hoopeston, do	Hoopeston	33	5	7	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	160	170	5 15	.....	6	5	25	10
J. B. Morrison	Bates, do	Berlin	36	9	.....	.....	4																		
James Richie, Sen.	Belleflower, do	Belleflower	21	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	200	.....	75				
J. C. Coulter	Nixon, do	South Prarie	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	140	12 72	75				
J. N. Waddle	Taylorville, do	Spring Creek, 14	40	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	9	9	5	9	3	1	2	7	.....	10	55	1 37	.....	6	6	40	10
Without Charge.																									
R. M. Cracken, Inf.	Hoopeston, do																								
W. C. Pollock, Inf.	New Berlin, do																								
Wm. Morrow, Prof. 11	Chenoa, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 8.	855	42	50	46	68	4	297	208	51	227	22	16	3	422	5990	2948	10184	12 43	625	9¾	69	475	222
BOSTON.																									
Alex. Blaikie, S. C.	46 Chandler st, Bos	Boston	140	7	23	27	16	1	55	12	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	700	1720	2549	18 00	.....	12	5	30	
John P. Robb	Providence, R. I.	Providence	214	14	24	24	15	1	24	.....	.....	.....	. ..	.....	.....	40	1100	700	1864	9 00	.....	12	10	60	45
Phillip Y. Smith	Wilkinsons' Mass	Sutton	86	6	2	4	8	.....	5	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	700	190	990	12 00	150	12	2	46	
J. R. Kyle	Fall River, do	Fall River	132	27	19	12	8	4	25	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1100	1000	2147	16 00	.....	12	17	110	100
John Hogg	Lawrence, do	Lawrence†	150	20	13	18	13	3	30	25	25	10	.....	.....	10	250	1050	1155	2555	17 00	200	12	21	120	150
Robert Harkness. 6	Whitinsville, do	Whitinsville	50	2	10	2	7	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	700	30	733	14 00	200	12	10	54	20
Correspondent.		*Vacancy.*																							
Robert Creelman	Thompsonville Ct.	Thompsonville, 7	100	6	3	3	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	....	.....	1000	1000	2000	20 00	100	12	10	65	14
Licenciates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 7.	772	82	94	90	71	9	139	87	65	10	.....	.....	10	381	6350	5795	12838	106 00	650	12	76	485	329
BROOKVILLE.																									
D. K. Duff	Dayton, Pa.	Dayton	100	1	4	2	10	1	20	26	23	200	.....	.....	.....	10	400	180	858	8 12	.....	12	11	80	
do	do do	Concord	100	3	1	4	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	400	.....	.....	12	5	50	
J. C. Greer	Lumber City, do	Lumber City	37	2	2	1	6	1	12	30	5	4	3	4	.....	.....	500	4000	4558	123 00	500	12	12	65	
M. S. Telford	Stanton, do	Beaver Run	77	8	2	4	6	2	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	...	.....	667	3400	4113	53 41	.....	12	10	75	15
do	do	Beech Woods	20	1	1	1	2	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	333	20	373	18 66					

Samuel Brown	Willet, do	Plum Creek	98	18	6			2								152	575		727	7 42			12	7	80	
G. C. Vincent	Brookville, do	Jefferson	73	6	6			1								82	575		657	9			12	5	50	
	do do	Brookville																								
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
W. A. Cooper, Esq	Cherryville, do	Cherry Run	35																							
William Cochran	Pine Town, do	Piney	40																							
Sharp McCreight	Reynoldsville, do	Reynoldsville	18																							
John Moore	Millstone, do	Millstone, M. S.																								
		Susquehana, M.S.																								
		Oakland, M. S.																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	604	34	16	12	30	7	78	56	5	4	3	24		244	3450	7600	11686	22 13		500	12	50	390	15
BUTLER.																										
W. P. Braden	Coultersville, Pa	Sunbury	174	4	4	8	12		148	82	72	60	20	16		400	800	60	1658	9 51			12	10	100	48
J. N. Dick, D D. S. C.	Kittanning, do	Kittanning	108	1	9	6	2		76	59	21	4	4	8	13	15	1000	300	1500	14 00			12	9	61	36
Samuel Kerr	Harrisville, do	Harmony	242	24	6	14	19	2	172	97		19				64	1000	116	1466	6 41			12	14	186	35
W. H. Jamison	Petersbnrg, do	Wh, O. Springs, ⅔	*99														450									
Jas. A Clark	Prospect, do	Prospect, ½	163	9	3	12	8		25	10	6	5				12	400	50	508	3 11			6	12	100	
do	do do	Mt. Chestnut, ½	91	9	4	11	12		42	29	5		7	2	5	30	300	100	530	5 82			6	12	75	
W. R. Hutchison	Saxonburg, do	Clinton, ⅔	146	7	3	17	17	1	87	49	15	5	10	2	2	30	600	30	828	5 52			12	10	80	15
do	do do	Shiloh, ⅓	77	7	4	2	1	1	59	46	26	5	5	1	2	16	300	35	494	7 26			12	6	50	12
S. C. Reid	Irishtown, do	Springfield	164	3	16	9	8		120	89	62	13	13	4	10	12	730	83	1136	6 92			7	10	72	12
E. N. McElree	Freeport, do	2d Freeport	131	2	4	5	5		121	125	129	12	12	4	14		1200	368	1985	15 00			12	10	60	140
N. E. Brown	Jacksonville, do	Slippery Rock, ½	105	3		4	3	2	91	59	30	10	8	3	7	14	400	140	762	7 25			12	6	70	
do	do do	Harlinsburg, ½	45	2		1			43	21		4	3		4	7	300	18	400	8 88			12	6	50	17
J. C. McElree	Eauclair, do	E. Unity, ½	97	8	5	3	9		132	90	85	12	12	6	20	11	600	130	1095	1131			8	13	100	32
do	do do	Clintonville, ½	55	4		3	7	1	45	35	30	6	6	2	8	9	400	25	565	1028			8	8	35	
W. D. Ewing	Slippery-Rock do	Centreville, ⅔	133	3	10	13	6		143	45	22	10	4		3		550	85	862	6 50			12	13	110	37
do	do do	Bethel, ⅓	102	3		5	4		89	47	34	8	4		3	85	300	75	645	6 31			12	12	95	33
D. Dodds	Baldwin, do	Fairview	140	1	10	6	8		80	80				11			1000			8 31			5	11	85	
R. G. Young	Brownsdale, do	Brownsdale, ½	*54														300									
do	do do	Union, ½	100														450									
Wm. Cooke, P. E.	Harrisville, do	Scotch Hill	65	6	4	3	2		10	6	5	2	2	3	5	8	700	94	843	12 05			6	11	70	11
Wm. Galbraith	Freeport, do	Portersville, ⅔	112	3	3	13	12		40	27	11	1	1	6	9	50	700		845	7 63						
J. L. Grove,—16	Worthington, do	Worthington, ½	76	4	6	12	12	1	32	6	25						400	12	587	7 00			6	5	30	
	do do	Rich Hill, ½,	*69														400									
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
Geo. Weller	Lawranceburg do	Lawranceburg	71	8	24	6	8	1	49	22						5	800	6	1412	20 00		200	12	11	50	40
S G. Purvis	Butler, do	Butler	246	12	14	7	17		89	38							1000	1600	2727	10 75			12	10	80	30
Mr. Harshaw	Cunningham, do	East Brady	21	1	1	2	1				19			2		90	300	90	501	23 90		200				
Isaac M. Eals	North Hope, do	Mt. Varnum,	*94														400									
John McIntire	Freeport, do	1st Freeport	*108														400									
Wm. Carson	Harrisville, do	West Unity,	*86														250									
Luther McCampbell, P. E.	Freeport, do	Buffalo, 30	*80														800									
Without Carge.																										
George McCormick	Salinas City, Cal.																									
Licentiates, 2.	*Student*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 29.	3254	124	130	162	173	9	1693	1072	597	176	111	70	105	858	17230	3411	21349	9 71		400	9.8	199	1559	448

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CALEDONIA.																									
P. C. Robertson	Buena Vista, N.Y.	Howard†	76	3	.....	2	1	.....	6	5	.....	8	2	.....	.....	25	400	15	461	6 06	.....	5	7	40	
John Van Eaton	York, do	York†	200	4	10	6	11	1	75	57	35	12	10	11	21	463	1200	.....	1884	9 42	.....	12	16	145	50
John Rippey	Cuylerville, do	Cuylerville†	*81																						
John Edgar, S. C.	Sterling Val., do	Sterling†	107	1	.....	3	6	.....	23	8	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	426	46	511	4 77	.....	12	7	118	
J. P. Sankey	Rochester, do	Rochester	361	26	11	29	21	1	205	96	87	20	20	5	20	115	1500	462	2530	7 00	.....	12	32	300	160
D. F. Bonner	Caledonia, do	Caledonia†	149	3	1	8	6	.....	147	122	70	23	17	6	15	120	1206	144	1866	12 52	.....	8	8	50	
H. W. Crabbe	Buffalo, do	Buffalo, (2).	300	2	.....	30	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	30	.....	378	860	597	1835	6 11	.....	12	35	215	160
A. B. Gilfillan	Peoria, do	Covington†	140	7	4	12	7	.....	68	65	45	5	5	3	4	75	1100	150	1510	10 80	.....	12	10	85	30
R. G. Campbell	Elgin, do	Lyndon	59	9	1	3	5	2	29	20	12	4	3	1	3	6	900	165	1143	19 37	.....	8	9	65	
Wm. Donaldson	Franklinville, do	Franklinville	48	4	.....	2	2	.....	31	10	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	700	14	760	15 84	300	12	13	45	24
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
J. R. Craig, M. D.	Mumford, do	Mumford	*44																						
	Geneva, do	Geneva																							
Jas. W. Walker	Mumford, do	Beulah,†—13.	118	3	.....	1	3	2	68	68	143	21	6	4	8	118	1200	237	2077	17 60	.....	5	9	60	20
Without Charge.																									
D. C. M'Laren, D.D.	Geneva, do																								
D. Currie,—12	Sterling Val., do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 13.	1683	62	27	96	73	6	652	451	400	93	66	65	71	1300	9492	1876	14577	9 35	300	10	146	1123	444
CHARTIERS.																									
S. Taggart	W. Middlet'n, Pa.	W. Middletown	119	4	2	4	6	1	43	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	550	237	864	7 26	.....	6	11	104	
J. T. Brownlee	W. Middlet'n, do	Mt. Hope	92	1	1	15	1	.....	65	45	30	8	3	1	5	.....	750	50	954	10 40	.....	6	10	70	10
J. A. M'Kee	Claysville, do	Wheeling, ¾	82	.....	2	3	3	.....	23	32	14	4	4	2	.....	25	450	30	584	7 11	.....	6	11	88	10
A. R. Anderson	Venice, do	Venice, Pa.	194	7	11	14	4	1	235	135	98	15	15	3	25	196	1050	216	1988	10 24	.....	6	10	110	33
D. S. Littell	Clokey, do	Pigeon Creek	162	5	1	6	7	.....	186	136	98	19	19	7	22	25	1000	300	1812	11 11	.....	6	10	83	22
J. R. Johnston	Washington, do	Washington	206	12	3	9	6	1	500	178	112	30	28	8	18	45	1500	925	3344	16 00	.....	12	20	118	120
Thos. Balph	Munntown, do	Mt. Prospect	137	2	2	4	3	.....	102	74	57	12	12	4	20	87	1000	326	1694	12 36	.....	6	10	84	27
W. A. M'Connell	Hickory, do	Mt. Pleasant	162	5	2	12	15	1	129	98	.....	15	.....	6	30	65	1000	1188	2531	15 68	.....	6	14	75	50
Wm. Weir	Canonsburg, do	Canonsburg	163	3	3	7	2	.....	50	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1200	14	1324	8 12	.....	7	7	47	7
D. M. B. M'Lean, S. C.	Canonsburg, do	Chartiers	240	6	19	15	11	2	309	202	202	49	90	16	37	118	1800	1449	4272	18 56	.....	12	16	150	128
Josias Stevenson	Washington, do	North Buffalo	100	5	.....	42	4	1	74	64	239	33	9	3	15	20	1000	103	1550	15 50	.....	7	9	120	45
R M. Patterson	Thomps'nv'le, do	Peter's Creek	169	8	9	11	11	.....	78	24	24	5	.....	5	5	5	377	115	638	3 81	.....	6	9	90	11
J. B. Waddle	Midway, do	Centre	146	5	4	11	11	1	110	105	25	13	13	20	.....	.....	882	174	1342	9 11	.....	6	15	105	20
Alex. M'Lachlan	Claysville, do	South Buffalo	73	1	3	8	1	.....	37	20	16	4	3	1	.....	15	900	230	1226	16 79	.....	6	6	70	5
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Robert Henderson	Locust Hill, do	Chartiers X Roads†	170	6	.....	30	8	1	165	105	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	20	1000	400	1709	10 00	.....	5	10	120	15
J. S. Crawford	Taylorstown, do	Taylorstown—16.	52	14	38	.....	13	8	10	10	5	3	2	2	3	.....	650	80	785	15 00	.....	5	18	80	

Without Charge.																									
A. M'Cahan, D.D., Inf. 15	Canonsburg, Pa.																								
Licentiates, 4.	*Students*, 3.	*Sab. Schools*, 16.	2267	84	100	191	106	17	2116	1302	920	229	198	78	180	631	15109	5837	26600	1173	.....	6¾	186	1414	503
CHICAGO.																									
W. T. Moffet, S. C.	Freeland, Ill.	Somonauk	175	7	9	12	7	1	143	118	89	15	15	6	.....	212	1200	100	1948	11 13	.....	12	22	160	50
R. W. French	Peotone, do	Wilton	49	9	0	8	2	.....	60	21	17	3	3	2	.....	.....	363	20	486	10 00	.....	6	10	40	10
J. D. Smith	Hanover, do	Hanover	114	2	4	13	13	.....	25	16	7	145	1	2	7	26	720	556	1505	13 20	.....	12	8	70	
W. J. McAllister	Tamarac, do	Wheatland†	88	15	1	5	5	.....	64	11	10	27	7	3	.....	4	650	70	846	9 61	.....	7	8	72	4
Chas. H. Mitchell—5	Savanna, do	Camp Creek†	68	8	5	5	6	.....	20	21	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	872	1517	22 30	.....	12	10	60	21
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
J. M. Wallace	Chicago, do	Chicago	110	14	29	3	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1200	.....	1225	12 50	750	12	12	100	
John Getemy	Rock Run, do	Rock Run	21	.....	.....	3	1	.....	4	.....	4	2	3	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	413	19 66					
Mahlon Ayers	Shannon, do	Shannon—8	13	1	1	4	1	.....	.....	4	.....	50	.....	8	.....	.....	182	27	271	20 11					
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	638	56	49	50	35	1	316	201	127	246	29	21	7	242	5315	1637	8211	12 87	750	10	70	502	85
CEDAR RAPIDS.																									
D. M. Gordon	Cedar Rapids, Ia.	Cedar Rapids	93	4	2	.....	2	.....	14	13	44	100	.....	.....	.....	25	649	100	945	9 95	.....	12	10	60	55
J. H. Turnbul	Crystal, do	Tranquility	125	22	5	6	6	....	20	23	20	62	5	5	3	60	800	165	1163	9 30	.....	9	5	30	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*						.....																	
J. C McConnell	Boone, do	Boonsboro	66	1	6	7	4	.....	23	27	19	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	344	921	14 05	200	12	12	40	18
John Burnside	Garner, do	Concord	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	400	30 70	250	12	6	25	
James Ure	Fairfax, do	Fairfax†	*59																						
Alex. Johnson	Florence, do	Florence	34	4	.....	5	3	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	125	.....	136	4	.....	5	6	30	
Robert Gilkerson	Marshalltown, do	Marshalltown	19	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	5	4	5	1	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	6	3	13	
Mitchell Wilson	Vinton, do	Pratt Creek	74	4	.....	.....	4	2	18	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	80	904	12 22	.....	12	10	65	20
Robert Sampson	Quasqueton, do	Quasqueton	*18																						
W. F. Kirkpatrick	Vinton, do	Vinton, 10.	35	.....	1	1	3	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	21	324	89	448	13	175	12			
Without Charge.																									
J. L. Bull	Buckingham, Ia.																								
W. A. Pollock	Vinton, do																								
J. T. Torrence	Florence, do																								
A. Gordon, S. C	Cedar Rapids, do																								
Joseph McKee	Marshalltown, do																								
J. P. Black—8	Centerville, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 8.	536	35	14	19	24	2	96	73	88	171	13	5	3	113	3598	778	4937	13 30	625	10	52	263	93
CHILLICOTHE.																									
D. MacDill	Cherry Fork, O.	Cherry Fork	250	2	1	6	10	.....	128	81	5	5	14	.....	.....	100	825	50	1208	4 83	.....	12	22	225	75
Jon. Stewart	Youngsville, do	Tranquility	318	15	19	21	21	1	30	26	58	20	.....	.....	.....	68	1000	70	1272	4 00	.....	8	20	232	40
J. P. Finney, S. C	Wheat Ridge, do	Unity	187	5	4	8	8	2	38	35	10	41	5	4	.....	44	800	60	1037	5 55	.....	9	21	165	31
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
John McClanahan	West Union, do	West Union	*50																						
A. A. Frazier	Mt. Joy, do	Mt. Joy	55	1	.....	4	3	.....	6	5	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	48	.....	67	1 21	.....	8	6	32	6
Jno. Puntenney	Stouts, do	Rome	24	4	.....	4	1	4	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	84	.....	102	4 25	.....	12	6	30	11
James Moore	Decatur, do	Decatur	60	1	.....	.....	3	.....	20	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	20	250	4 17	.....	6	5	35	13
Johnson Wade	Jackson, C. H. do	Scioto	57	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	9	8	3	4	.....	.....	3	.....	466	18	511	8 96					

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Joseph Morrow	Hillsboro, Ohio.	Fall Creek, 9	28	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	66	266	9 50	.....	9	80	719	176
Without Charge.																									
James Arbuthnot, Inf.	Wheat Ridge, do																								
J. H. Bonner, Unem.	Mt. Joy, do																								
Thomas Mercer, 6	Decatur, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	1029	28	33	49	46	7	239	155	78	80	19	4	3	228	3623	284	4713	4 81	.....	9	80	719	176
CLEVELAND.																									
David Goodwillie	Girard, do	Liberty	80	6	1	6	2	.....	59	43	40	7	7	2	.....	30	423	169	780	10 06	.....	6	7	75	
J. W. Logue	Northfield, do	Northfield, ½	86	2	.....	2	.....	.....	66	46	37	7	7	3	.....	117	550	178	1011	11 23	.....	6	15	133	26
do S. S.	do do	Stow, ½	28	2	.....	1	.....	.....	20	15	11	2	2	1	.....	18	300	50	419	14 96	.....	6	5	43	
H. A. McDonald	270 Perry st. Clel'd	Cleveland	181	10	30	19	8	1	118	87	117	35	12	5	20	72	1800	1000	3266	18 04	.....	12	13	94	105
R. Gailey	Lexington, Ohio.	Troy	†34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	200						
J. M. Wallace, S. C.	Youngstown, do	Youngstown	140	7	20	21	.....	.....	108	97	55	11	11	3	.....	85	1200	226	1796	12 85	.....	12	12	55	36
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Erastus Eels	New Lisbon, do	New Lisbon	71	.....	4	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	800						
G. B. Walker	Baconsburg, do	Bazetta, 8	21																						
Without Charge.																									
T. A. Scott, 6																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	641	27	55	52	10	1	371	288	260	62	39	14	20	322	5273	1623	8272	14 14	.....	11	52	400	167
CONEMAUGH.																									
D. W. Collins	Blairsville, Pa.	Blairsville, ½	100	7	4	9	6	.....	80	55	45	9	10	2	.....	25	500	100	826	8 00	.....	12			
do	do do	Conemaugh, ½	105	8	2	5	6	1	35	32	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	35	500	75	681	6 48	.....	12	7	40	25
J. C. Telford	W. Lebanon, do	West Union, ⅔ †	192	6	2	8	6	.....	95	66	57	25	.....	.....	10	87	533	130	1000	5 26	.....	6	10	100	22
do	do do	Olivet, ⅓	70	6	1	5	5	1	50	44	5	5	5	.....	5	.....	267	40	540	7 21					
Byron Porter	Elderton, do	Elderton, ½	105	8	8	10	8	.....	107	45	266	45	10	6	10	25	500	100	1114	10 61	.....	12	10	75	61
do	do do	Shelocta, ½	140	10	6	6	7	1	100	23	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	50	400	50	627	4 40	.....	12	7	60	50
H. Q. Graham	New Florence do	Bethel, ½	190	11	1	15	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	.....	450	2 00	.....	9	24	120	
do	do do	Fairfield, ½	92	9	1	6	17	1	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	350	20	410	4 46					
D. W. M'Lane	Mahoning, do	Mahoning, ½	174	4	6	10	9	.....	107	50	25	15	.....	5	5	30	600	62	929	5 00	.....	7	13	60	37
do	do do	Smyrna, ¼																							
do	do do	Beracha, ¼	58	4	.....	1	3	.....	22	5	5	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	300	15	353	6 00	.....	12	8	60	9
D. M. M'Clellan	Phillips Mills, do	Centre	130	12	4	6	12	2	67	40	20	5	5	2	.....	16	700	50	906	7 00	.....	12	5	55	16
W. S. Owens, S. C.	Indiana, do	Indiana	254	28	19	11	24	2	270	160	200	35	27	10	30	66	1600	1070	3528	13 89	.....	12	13	125	94
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
George Lowman	Kent, do	Jacksonville *	177																						
John Davis	Tannery, do	Crete *	111																						

T. McCrae	Brush Valley, Pa.	Mechanicsburg,*																							
J. Stewart	Strangstown, do	East Union,*	21																						
A. Wiggins	Greenville, do	Greenville,*	40																						
W. W. Pike	Johnstown, do	Johnstown, 19	23	1	1			1		11							27				900	12	9	47	25
Without Charge.																									
David Blair	Indiana, do																								
M. Clark	Pine Flats, do																								
S. McArthur—10																									
Licentiates, 0	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 11.	1887	114	55	95	107	9	953	570	743	139	65	31	60	354	6700	1712	10914	7	900	11	106	742	339
DELAWARE.																									
John D. Gibson	S. Kortright, N.Y.	Stamford †.	139	8		7	6		100	22	21	519	33			60	900	702	2367	17 02		6	12	70	12
D. S. NcHenry	De Lancey, do	Langsingville,†	71	1	2	4	4		134	25	8	16	3	1		11	750	259	1207	17 00	50	6	7	45	
J. B. Lee, S. C.	Bovina Valley, do	Bovina	310	11	7	24	17		100	80	35	25	25	10	5	1509	1200	184	3173	10 23		12	16	207	
James Bruce	Andes, do	Andes	215	1	8	7	12	1	146	14		7				250	1000	100	1517	7 05		12	13	100	30
A. F. Ashton	Andes, do	Cabin Hill,†	88		1	1	11		92	23		1				130	800	240	1286	14 61		7	13	140	30
A. W. McGibbon	New Kingston do	New Kingston,†	112	13	4	8	9	7	50	25						150	800	200	1225	10 94		8	18	200	75
A. G. King	Delhi, do	West Delhi †...	*115	7	6	1	4	1	50	20	14	10	10	2		160	800	40	1232	10 72		6	7	40	2
R. T. Doig	East Meredith, do	West Kortright,†.	118	7	10	7	6		8	10			1	25		67	900	72	1093	9 26		12	16	120	25
A. M. Smeallie	N. Kortright, do	Kortright (Centre)	151	6	3	19	11	3	107	23	5	8				53	900	162	1258	8 03		7	18	150	18
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
J. P. Douglas	N. Kortright, do	North Kortright†.	148	4		3	4	1	103	45		9				2	900	100	1159	7 83		6	17	70	
A. H. Elliott	Garrattsville. do	Burlington	100	1		12	2		20							90	800	428	1338	13 38		12	6	50	5
Hon. James Oliver	Fergusonville, do	Davenport	58	4		3	1		19	18				7		21	546	87	698	12 03	50	12	12	60	34
John W. Smith	Walton, do	Walton	90	3	1	4		1	20			10		17		100	1000		1147	12 71	37	12	8	70	30
William Burns	Meredith, do	Meredith, 14	39	1	2	3		1	10	5	5						525	23	578	15 00	187	6	6	35	
Without Charge.																									
Clark Irving, Prof.	Stamford, do																								
R. J. Cresswell, Prof.	Andes, do																								
Robert Stewart, Prof.	Newburg, do																								
R. B. Taggart, 13																									
Licentiates, 4.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 14	1744	67	44	103	87	15	949	310	74	609	72	62	5	2603	11821	2597	19278	11 05	324	9	69	1357	261
DES MOINES.																									
R. A. McAyeal	Oskaloosa, Iowa	Oskaloosa	145	24	5	9	6	9	26	53	79	157	5	3		61	1500	243	2127	14 67		12	13	84	67
C. T. McCaughan	Winterset, do	Peru.	35	2	1				16	6	34	10		2	2		300	60	430	12 28		12	7	53	
do	do do	Union	36		3	7	3		5		7					1	300	500	813	22 58		7	5	46	4
S. C. Marshall, S C.	Albia, do	Service	108	3	7	12	9		14	25	16	5	3			205	800	164	1232	11 40		9	10	80	22
Joseph Boyd	Carlisle, do	Summerset	76	2	2	4	7		15	10	17	9	6			18	800	92	967	12 73		7	10	100	18
L. Proudfit	Corydon, do	Corydon	33	3	3	3	2		26	15	19	8				19	200	150	437	13 22		6	6	42	5
do	do do	Jefferson.	*48																						
Wm. Brown	Mt. Ayr, do	Mt. Ayr.	54	1	10	5	5		10	15	5			1			150	100	281	5 20		5	10	40	5
do	do do	Pleasant Ridge	57	2	9	3			10	20	10	1	2	3	2		300	75	423	7 43	37	7	9	50	15
Daniel Harris	Lacona, do	Lacona.†	64	4	5	1	4	2	37	26		5				10	550	131	738	11 37	100	12	12	101	5
J. F. Martin	Monroe, do	Monroe,	*94																						
H. F. Wallace	Knoxville, do	Knoxville	73	3	5	3	6	1	40	23	34	4	2	1	3	14	900	136	1157	15 85		12	14	80	30
J. A. Burns	Verona, do	North English.	63	2	3	4	4		17	10		9					500	2650	3186	50 57		12	5	50	
E. S. McMichael	Newton, do	Newton	24	7	7												325		325		150	12	4	20	
do	do do	Palo Alto	36	5													425		425		100	12	8	40	

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				Profession.	Certificates.		Infant.	Adult.	Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund.	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregation.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Amount.	Average per Member.		Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Contributions.
S. T. Herron, S. S.	Corning, Iowa	Corning	40	.....	10	6	2	.....	....	10	10	..	....	.....	.....	10	150	75	255	6 37		6	5	36	
do	do do	Adams	38	4	16	4	6	.....	....	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	200	.....	235	6 20	.....	6	3	50	
G. P. Raitt, S. S.	Chariton, do	Chariton	58	12	8	2	4	1	14	13	21	2	1	1	.....	2	400	11	465	8	350	6	3	50	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Wm. Graham	Indianola, do	Indianola	*135																						
Edward Loughran	Des Moines, do	Des Moines	89	.....	5	15	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	671	103	774	8	.....	12	16	120	68
A. A. Ramsay, M. D.	Albia, do	Albia	*106																						
Josiah Leech	Winterset, do	Winterset																							
Wm. Graham	Winterset, do	Mt. Pelier	*38																						
John A. Achison	Winterset, do	North Branch	*37																						
J. M. Weede	St. Charles, do	St Charles	42	.....	.....	6	4	.....	8	5	5	2	1	3	.....	.....	400	10	434	10 32	50	12	9	50	10
A. J. Campbell	Centerville, do	Centerville	15	1	2	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	624	2850	3474	2 30	200	12	7	16	
J. D. Littell	Seymour, do	Promise City	*38																						
J. S. Holland	Sigourney, do	White Oak.	*39																						
James Bell	Agricola, do	Pleasant Grove	19	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	6	375	.....	406	21 36	.....	6	5	25	
Samuel Row	Oskaloosa, do	Unity	29	6	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	190	306	10 55	.....	8	8	53	8
J. R. Gilmore	Kirkville, do	Cedar—31	*20																						
Without Charge.																									
Andrew McCartney	Londonderry, O.																								
J. K. Black	Chariton, Iowa.																								
R. C. Wyatt—16																									
Licentiates, 0	*Students*, 2.	*Sab. Schools*, 20.	1689	81	101	84	78	13	238	241	267	243	20	14	7	361	9980	7540	18890	16 70	937	9⅓	166	1136	249
DETROIT.																									
John P. Scott, S. C.	Detroit, Mich.	Detroit	285	13	10	20	19	.....	90	87	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	525	1500	3150	5357	18 79	.....	12	22	152	130
D. H. Goodwillie	Commerce, do	Commerce	85	3	.....	3	4	.....	24	25	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	600	48	700	8 23	.....	12	13	100	18
John B. Wilson	Almont, do	Bruce	40	6	2	2	3	.....	23	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	8	649	16 22	.....	6	5	60	7
Wm. Robertson	Brockway, do	Brockway, ⅓	22	.....	.....	1	1	.....	4	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73	82	164	3 72	42				
do	do do	Clyde, ⅓	28	5	.....	.....	7	.....	10	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	224	15	262	9 33	40				
do	do do	Red House, ⅓	34	.....	.....	4	3	.....	3	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	68	2 00	43				
John Weir, P. E.	Royal Oak, do	Troy, ½	*55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	.....	7 27					
do	do do	Southfield, ½	60	6	4	.....	5	.....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	266	.....	12 06	.....	12	9	82	58
Thos. W. Monteith	Port Huron, do	Port Huron	*50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	800	800	16 00	219	12	6	70	40
J. H. Morrow, S. S.	Marlette, do	Marlette	31	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	102	.....	.....	.....	62	12	9	35	36
do	do do	Goodland																							
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Hiram Anderson	Lexington, do	Davisville	47	.....	1	3	.....	.....	5	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	70								
Daniel Lawson	do do	Fremont	28																						
Wm. Jordan	Minden, do	Austin																							

		Paris																								
		Sheridan—16																								
		Missions.																								
Andrew Marshall	Unionville, Mich.	Unionville								6						5	150		161		100					
James Kirk	Watrousville, do	Fair Grove								6						4	150	10	170		100					
Without Charge.																										
John M. MacLellan	Detroit, do																									
Thomas Bracken	Niles, do																									
W. G. Rawson—10	Marlatt, do																									
Licentiates. 0	*Students,* 0.	*Sab. Schools,* 6.	765	33	17	33	44		192	177	8					559	4329	4379	8331	10 89	606	11	64	499	289	
EGYPT.																										
Tadrus Yusef	Nakhaleh, Egypt.	Nakhaleh	78	9		4										210			210			12		120		
		Alexandria	32	3		6										30			30			12		20		
Missionaries.		Cairo	58	11	1	3	3	7								1047			1047			12		24		
James Barnet, D. D.	Cairo, do	Koos	47					4																		
S. C. Ewing	Alexandria.	Monsoura	10	2	1			1								24			24			12		23		
Wm. Harvey	Medenet el Fay	Moteah	86	44	4											117			117			12		110		
John Hogg, D. D.	Osiout.	The Fayoum	45	15				10														12		38		
G. Lansing, D. D.	Cairo,																									
Andrew Watson	Cairo.	Osiout	75	8	2	4	1	9								490			490			12		70		
D. Strang	Alexandria.																									
Native Minister.																										
Makhiel El Beliane,—8																										
Licentiates, 1.	*Students,* 0.	*Sab. Schools.*	431	92	8	17	4	31								1918			1918			12		405		
FRANKFORT.																										
W. M. McElwee, D. D.	Frankf't Spgs. Pa.	Frankfort	108	5	4	3	3		59	50	18	13	8			24	400	45	617	5 71		9	4	24		
J. C. Campbell	Paris, do	Paris	*125																							
J. L. Purdy,	Florence, do	Kings Creek,—½	85	1		7	8		30	12	9			8		9	350	30	498	5 73		6	8	80		
do.	do	Hanover, ½	130	3	5	10	10		63	25	15	1	2		1		350	15	472	3 82		6	8	100		
D. W. Carson	Industry, do	Service	190	10	1	8	8		373	210	50	20		5	20	141	1000		1819	9 57		6	10	120	46	
W. R. McKee	Bavington,	Robinson—2†	167	10	1	10	9	3	122	90	69	15	14	5	7	50	1000	30	1300	7 78		7	16	163	15	
J. P. Sharp	New Sheffield, do	Raccoon—½	138	7	7	11	10	2	85	66	20	6	10	4		5	500	125	821	6 12		12	9	110	13	
do	do	Ohio—½	98	5	1	8	10		74	39	6	2	5	3		20	500	59	708	7 22		12	9	70	6	
John Hood.	Burgettstown, do	Burgettstown	180	15	6	9	12	3	159	93	72	15	15	5	5	8	1000	120	1492	8 30		5	19	169	48	
D. K. McKnight, Jr., S.C.	Clinton, do	Clinton—½	120	18	5	6	12		80	60	43	9	9	4	5	42	600	92	966	7 86		12	9	60	5	
do.	do	Mt. Gilead—½	102	13	4	5	7	3	56	41	32	7	7	3	5	47	600	76	874	8 56		12	8	60	18	
J. P. Davis	Hookstown, do	Hookstown—½	110	4	3	8	4	1								175	500	85	710	6 45		8	9	72	25	
do.	do	Tumbleson's R. ½	120	16	2	8	3	7	76	56	43	9	9	3			500	33	729	6 08		8	6	50	6	
D. F. Mustard—10	Seventy Six, do	New Bethlehem	70	6	3		4		35	27	5	3	2				600	75	747	10 68	200	12	8	150	4	
		Vacancies.																								
		Cross Creek—15	*30																							
Licentiates, 2.	*Students,* 3.	*Sab. Schools,* 15.	1773	113	42	93	100	19	1212	769	382	100	81	40	43	521	7900	785	11753	7 26	200	8	123	1228	186	
GARNETT.																										
J. N. Smith	Garnett, Kansas.	Garnett	156	4	9	7	9	2	44	20		535				20	800	287	1706	10 94		12	13	79	108	

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W. R. Erskine	Richmond, do	Berea, ½	92	6	7	9	9		12	2			4				400	14	432	4 70		12	10	46	
do S. S.	do do	Rock Creek, ⅓	35		4	2	1										53	4	57	1 63	150	5	6	70	
do do	do do	Richland, ⅙	7													8	50		58	8 29		10	7	25	
Andrew Renwick, S. C.	Olathe, do	Olathe	82	5	4	15	5	1	34	20	16	3	3	2	2	182	650	154	1066	13 00	150	12	13	124	52
J. A. Collins	Americus, do	Americus	74	3	8	2	8		10	5	3					18	500	1067	1603	21 66	200	12	12	71	38
J. W. Martin	Edgerton, do	Edgerton	63	8	7	3	8	3	10	6	7						305	200	528	8 38	300	12	9	85	15
D. Y. McAuley	Burlington, do	Big Creek	26	1	3		1									100	311	3	414	15 93	50	12	11	35	3
J. H. Adair, S. S.	Galesburg, do	Galesburg, ½	18		2		2		5	1	2					4	83	5	100	5 55	125	2	1	26	
do	do do	Jacksonville, ¼	12		1		1									3	30		33	2 75	50				
do	do do	Cherokee, ¼	7														20		20	2 85	25				
E. C. Cooper, S. S.	Kalida, do	Kalida, ½	25		2	2	1		2	2						4	83	146	237	9 48	50	12	8	73	146
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Wm. Murray	Plymouth, do	Plymouth	9														75		75	8 33					
W. W. Sanders	Cottonw'dF'ls do	Cottonwood Falls	13	5		4	3										51		51	3 92					
John Torrence	Chetopa, do	Chetopa	40			3					5					9	264	34	312	7 80	400	12	7	40	10
S. W. Winter	Ottawa, do	Ottawa, (2)	56	6	3		3		2	5	2	1	1	1	1	4	400	10	427	7 63	300	12	12	80	15
A. N. Hanna	Emporia, do	Emporia	20			2											150	5	155	7 75	600				
J. R. Humphrey	Lyndon, do	Lyndon	*13																						
T. G. Stewart	Ottawa, do	Princeton	11		11																				
W. M. Sleeth	Arkansas City do	Arkansas City	11		11																				
Stewart Hawthorn	Howard City, do	Howard City	12		12																				
Wm. Watson	White City, do	White City	18		18																				
S. S. Danley	El Paso, do	El Paso—23	17		17																				
Without Charge.																									
David Lindsay, Inf.																									
J. C. McKnight, Unem.																									
Jackson Duff																									
W. A. Findley																									
A. Mayne—15																									
Licentiates, 2.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 13.	817	38	119	49	51	6	119	61	35	539	8	3	3	352	4225	1929	7274	9 90	2400	9.6	109	754	387
INDIANA.																									
Moses Arnott	Hanover, Ind.	Carmel & Bethel	175	6	4	10	16	1	91	61	100	2	30			146	900	100	1430	8 17		8	8	50	10
N. C. McDill	Richland, do	Richland	109		2	3			80	60	100					200	800	163	1403	12 22		12	8	80	30
J. F. Hutchison	Madison, do	Madison,†	90	3	1	5	1			14						30	850	179	1073	11 92		12	8	60	40
T. P. Dysart, S. C.	Dunreith, do	Shiloh	160	5	3	6	3	1	55	54	10	2	3	4	6	20	700	63	917	6 20		7	12	90	46
Wm. Johnston	Spring Hill, do	Spring Hill,†	160		2	2			82	84	118	8	40			22	1300	100	1754	11 60		12	12	100	75
A. R. Rankin	Milroy, do	Milroy & Vienna	*100	13	10	5	3	2	80	25		30	20			20	1000	250	1425	14 00					
Andrew McBride	Moorefield, do	Caledonia, ¾	47	2	2		2	2	17	8							400	2114	2539	54 02	200	8	7	53	6

Andrew McBride	Moorefield, do	Vernon, ¼	28						15	5						5	150		175	6 25		8	5	20	
J. L. Clarke, S.S.—7	Indianapolis, do	Indianapolis, 9	30	1	19	1	2	0									700		734	24 40	5 00	3	11	35	34½
Licentiate, 1.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab.. Schools*, 9.	899	31	43	32	27	6	420	311	328	42	93	4	6	443	6800	2969	11450	12 73	700	9	71	488	240
KANSAS.																									
J. C. Herron	Lawrence, Kan.	Lawrence	98	1	4	7	4		53	38	25	10	8	2	8	84	1000	401	1629	16 62	100	12	8	60	42
F. M. Spencer	Leavenworth, do	1st Leavenworth †	84	1	7	10	2		50	52	7	2	5	1			850	1555	2522	30 00	150	12	9	75	75
J. McKelvey, S. S	do do	2d Leavenworth½	18						7							35	85	186	313	17 38	275	12	10	150	
D. Forsythe, S. S	Grass'pr Falls, do	Grass'pr Falls ½	31		5	11					27			8		4	160	10	209	6 74	100	5	5	50	5
W. P. Curie, S. S	Manhattan, do	Carnahan Creek	47	5	2	10	6	1	10	6	2					20	300		328	6 96	250	12	10	55	8
B. L. Baldridge, S. S., S.C.	Topeka, do	Topeka	31	1	14	6	1	1			10					10	200	750	970	31 29	800				
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
D. S. Curry	Winchester, do	Winchester	52	1	7	10	8		5		5						200	1025	1235	23 75	150	12	5	50	6
R. Hill	Moore's Sum't, do	Center, 8	23			3			3							7	134		144	6 26	100	3	4	16	
J. Walker	Pleasant Run do	Monument Gr M.S.																							
Without Charge.																									
J. T. Wilson, *Unem*	Salina, do																								
D. C. Cochran, *Unem*	Moore's Sum't, do																								
P. H. Drennan, 9	Winchester, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 7.	384	9	39	44	21	2	128	86	76	12	13	11	8	160	2929	3927	7350	19 14	1925	9.6	51	65	136
KEOKUK.																									
James Brown, D. D	Keokuk, Iowa.	Keokuk	151	29	5	4	8	2	44		50					40	1020	780	1967	12 96		12	26	260	
A. Story	Columbus City, do	Columbus City ⅔	90	2	6	3	6	1	63	46	12	11	5	3		9	400	158	707	7 77		6	6	60	
J. S. Ross	Birmingham, do	Birmingham, 3-5	*50		2	3	4		9	8	7					34	330	50	438	8 60		12	11	65	7
do	do do	Keosauqua 2-5	*24																						
J. Lackey	Dutch Creek, do	Pleasant Valley½	114	5	3	17	10	2	27	20	5	5	5	1	5	60	600	102	830	7 28		12	14	92	35
do	do do	Westminster, ½	52			2	4		22	16	5	1	3	1	5	44	350	32	479	9 21		12	11	75	34
W. C. Williamson	Washington, do	1st Washington	250	12	25	7	10	1	165	121	90	18	18	6	9	344	1500	380	2651	12 05		12			90
N. H. Brown	Ainsworth, do	Ainsworth,	124	5	1	15	10		40	17	20	5	4				750	50	886	7 10		8	13	100	20
A. S. Vincent	Brighton, do	Brighton	74	6	6	1	2	1	23	17	10					11	700	120	887	11 90	100	12	6	60	8
Thos. Brown	Crawfordsville, do	Crawfordsville	200	10	10	17	10	1	175	100	105	5	4	8	4	102	1000	260	1763	8 81		12	17	200	45
Henry Wallace	Morning Sun, do	Morning Sun	176	17	13	9	11	1	99	77	63					44	1000	100	1383	7 85		12	16	117	17
Ralph E. Wilkins	Summittsville, do	Sandusky, (2)	43	2	3	4	3			10	10					5	450		475	11 02	150	12	15	90	
I. N. Laughead, S.S	Washington, do	New Bethel	45	2		4	5	1	19	12	20						180	18	249	5 53		6	4	40	42
T. E. Turner, S.S	Mt. Sterling, do	Mt. Sterling	14				1									5	100	10	115	8 21	50	7	6	30	1
do	do do	Liberty	16			6	4										100	10	110	6 87	50	7	7	40	
do	do do	Big Mound	20		3		2										200	10	210	10 50	100				
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
— Fulton	Washington, do	Living Lake	60	3	4	5	3		8		18						500	16	542	9 03		12	8	60	8
	do do	2d Washington	100	5	3	8			60	50	50					100	1000	200	1460	14 00		12	10	75	100
R. M. Dihel	do do	Grand Prairie	*52														200		200						
J. H. Guthrie	Mediapolis, do	Mediapolis	*25														300								
W. T. McMeachin	Middletown, do	Middletown	*30														150								
do	Winfield, do	Winfield	*52														400								
W. J. Ronald	Grandview, do	Grandview ½	*80														400								
do	do do	Harison ½	*82														300								
		Summitville—25																							

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Without Charge.																									
S. E. McKee, Prof.	Washington, Ia.																								
J. S. Shearer	Columb's City, do																								
A. Pattison—15	Birmingham, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 16.	1927	98	84	105	93	10	787	474	465	45	35	19	23	789	11980	2296	16922	8 77	450	11	170	1296	407
LAKE.																									
Jos. H. Pressly, S. C.	Erie, Pa.	Erie	201	15	13	10	15	1	160	124	110	20	20	5	10	139	1200	4938	6726	33 41	.....	12	18	132	89
H. H. Hervey,	Hartstown, do	Hartstown, (½)	130	4	.....	3	2	3	56	44	45	7	9	2	.....	25	500	50	738	5 67	.....	12	8	100	10
do	do do	N. Shenango, (½)	100	7	3	7	2	.....	29	17	12	5	5	4	.....	15	500	25	612	6 12	.....	12	6	50	
D. Donnan	Cochranton, do	Cochranton, (½)	139	4	.....	7	9	.....	31	30	10	10	16	4	.....	.....	400	200	707	5 08	.....	12	7	50	
do	do do	Power, (½).	72	2	2	1	6	.....	15	10	2	5	5	2	.....	.....	400	100	539	7 40	.....	6	5	30	
J. R. Brittain	Greenville, do	Greenville, (2)	214	7	7	21	4	.....	90	50	50	20	10	.....	.....	.....	1500	500	2220	10 37	.....	12	25	160	100
Jos. McNab	Oil City, do	Oil City	76	3	6	16	9	1	22	23	8	3	4	2	5	16	1000	7615	8698	114 44	.....	12	10	76	65
J. L. Robertson	Plumer, do	Plumer	*44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	23	.....	.....	4	1	.....	.....	1000	.....	1052	23 90	.....	12			
L. I. Crawford	Sandy Lake, do	Sandy Lake, (½)	46	4	8	4	2	2	26	19	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	175	100	368	8 00	.....	6	6	35	
do	do do	do (⅓)	45	3	1	3	6	1	23	12	20	4	3	3	.....	10	175	20	270	6 00	.....	6	8	40	
do	do do	Utica, (⅓)	37	.....	4	2	2	.....	27	16	13	3	3	5	.....	.....	350	27	444	12 00	.....	12	1	20	
P. W. Free	Waterford, do	Waterford	163	8	7	12	14	1	120	86	67	14	14	4	21	.....	1000	170	1496	9 17	.....	12	16	125	73
Jos. R. Wallace	Jamestown, do	Jamestown	197	6	21	13	12	2	136	99	77	15	15	5	5	.....	1000	48	1400	7 10	.....	12	17	167	66
A. S. Abbey	Wayne, do	Wayne, (2)	22	.....	4	3	.....	.....	20	20	15	2	2	1	.....	3	600	20	683	31 04	200	12	7	30	23
T. W. Winters	Adamsville, do	Adamsville	123	.....	6	11	.....	.....	60	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	1000	.....	1113	9 04	.....	12	12	120	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
E. M. Beatty	Sheakleyville, do	Georgetown	88	9	14	5	6	.....	51	19	4	3	3	4	.....	.....	550	47	681	7 73	.....	12	5	25	
A. H. McCormick	New Vernon, do	New Vernon	51	1	2	6	1	.....	32	18	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	450	20	535	10 49	.....	12	5	30	10
E. M. Shoutz	Evansburg, do	Evansburg	*45																						
Arthur Johnston	Harmansb'gh, do	Watson's Run	46	2	3	4	7	1	10	10	6	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	150	381	8 28	.....	12	3	30	
W. L. Jameison	Hartstown, do	Shenango	130	1	1	5	6	.....	52	12	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	20	300	30	424	3 26	.....	12	11	100	30
Wm. Mars	Titusville, do	Kerr's Ridge	31	.....	3	.....	2	.....	9	6	14	2	4	3	6	4	500	.....	548	17 67	.....	12	5	30	
A. S. Ralston	do do	Titusville, (†)—22.	17	.....	8	8	.....	.....	9	9	2027	3	3	2	4	.....	900	122	3079	181 11	.....	12	3	24	
Without Charge.																									
R. A. Browne, D. D.	Titusville, do																								
Joseph McCartney—13																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 23.	2017	76	113	141	105	12	1002	692	2505	127	120	57	51	278	13700	14182	32714	16 21	200	113	178	1374	466
LE CLAIRE.																									
S. S. Ralston, D.D.	Le Claire, Iowa.	Le Claire Prairie	106	2	3	5	4	.....	87	24	32	200	7	1	3	32	500	35	921	8 68	.....	6	9	56	30
G. W. Torrence	Andrew, do	Andrew, 4-7	81	2	.....	.....	5	1	20	30	5	5	2	2	3	25	410	85	587	7 25	.....	12	8	60	10
do	do do	Bethel, 3-7	40	5	.....	1	6	1	5	7	2	2	2	1	1	.....	290	50	360	9 00	.....	6	5	20	5

W. D. Ralston	Scotch Grove, do	Scotch Grove, †(2)	79	7	3	1	3	1	41	40	35	12	6	2	4	30	521	226	917	11 60		12	11	130	13	
D. Nicoll, S. C.	De Witt, do	De Witt	78	3	3	25	2	2	42	27	53	11	7	4		71	750	78	1043	13 37		12	13		26	
J. Sawhill	Cascade, do	Cascade	39	2		1	7		6	5	18		3			41	320	50	443	11 35		12	12	70	10	
do	do do	Pressly	17	2	1	2	3		2	4	7		2			14	55	6	90	5 29	75					
D. Todd, S. S.	Volga City, do	Highland, (2)	29	3		4	4	1	2	9						3	245	1	260	8 96	75	12	5	40		
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
Jacob Bohart	Clinton, do	Elvira	38	3	4	3	6		5	5	14	3	3	2	2		300	33	367	9 65		6	7	37		
J. B. Mitchell	Clarence, do	Clarence	37		1	6	3			5			2				305	15	327	8 83	57	6	4	50		
J. Maley	Stanwood, do	Stanwood	56	2		6	7	1																		
Thos. McCrea	Brush Creek, do	Putnam	25		1		1										125		125	5 00	100	6	4	25		
Samuel Coburn	Wyoming, do	Wyoming—13	*53																							
Without Charge.																										
J. S. Buchanan—7	Clarence, do																									
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 10.	678	31	16	54	51	7	210	156	166	233	34	12	13	216	3821	579	5440	10 00	287	9	78	488	94	
MANSFIELD.																										
Wm. Wishart, D. D.	Ontario, Ohio.	Ontario	144	10	8	7		1	32	24	15					5	666	20	762	5 29		8	12	200	35	
do	do do	De Kalb	58	4		1		1	32	21						14	333	25	425	7 15		12	8	75		
R. H. Pollock, D. D.	Wooster, do	Wooster	246	10	11	13	10	1	458	325	90	110	18			230	1000	400	2631	10 70		12	11	96	36	
W. M. Gibson	Millersburg, do	Millersburg	102	2	6	14	5		31	27		3					700	62	823	8 06		12	10	100	17	
D. H. French	Mansfield, do	Mansfield	106	4	5	3	5		153	38	13	18	8			164	1000	34	1428	13 46		12			46	
R. R. Atchison, S. C.	Fredericksb'g, do	Fredericksburg	104	1		12		1	167	85	50	14	21	7	7	12	850	295	1508	14 50		7	12	75	8	
M. L. Ross	Iberia do	Iberia	158	13	6	6	3	3	50	49				8	9	9	1000	65	1190	7 53		12	10	80	40	
J. G. Madge	Orrville, do	Dalton, ⅔	70	3	3	1	2	1	24	26	18	4	3	3		15	600	152	845	12 07		12	6	42	12	
do S. S.	do do	Monroe, ⅓	42	1	1	2			7	15						8	300	20	350	8 33						
W. F. Miller	Savannah, do	Savannah	108	8	3	4	3	1	42	31	13			10		7	800	75	978	9 00		12	10	115	16	
J. Y. Ashenhurst, S. S.	Christianville, Va.	Chase City	29																							
do S. S.	do do	Stanton River																								
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
Samuel Ewing	Haysville, Ohio.	Haysville	55	2		8	4		22	20	7		6				520		575	10 45		9	7	34	3	
James Patterson	Mt. Vernon, do	Mt. Vernon	22			5											150	10	165	7 50						
R. G. Wallace	Utica, do	Utica	25	1	10		1		5																	
		Martinsburg																								
James Boyd	Keene, do	Amity	61	4		5	2		11	12			2				400	25	450	7 37		6	8	65		
	Boyds Mills, do	Jacktown—18	45	2	43		3		8				2				200	500	710	15 77						
Without Charge.																										
F. M. Proctor, Inf—10	Mansfield, do																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 3.	*Sab. Schools*, 11.	1375	55	85	68	28	8	1009	656	181	59	42	28	16	257	7519	1283	12050	8 81		9	83	746	177	
MERCER.																										
Josiah Alexander	New Bedford, Pa.	Deer Creek	165	2	3	6	6		88	35	10					55	693	85	858	5 20		12	8	80	20	
Cyrus Cummins, S. C.	Wheeler, do	Bethel, ½	114	6	2	6	6	1	85	61	50	10	10	4		8	600	105	933	8 19		12	16	100	82	
do do		Clarksville, ½	68	2		4		1	24	13						12	400	25	474	6 97		6	5	25	5	
J. M. Donaldson	New Wilmimgt'n	1st N. Wilmington	250	10	8	10	7	2	212	167	23	11	10	8	10	302	1200	386	2329	9 31		12	20	150	188	
D. W. French, D. D.	Mercer, do	1st Mercer	145	1	10	12											1000	375		9 48		12	16	120	45	
R. T. McCrea	Worth, do	Lebanon, ½	65	1	1	2			88	35	27	6	6	2			400	61	625	9 61		12	8	37	28	
do	do do	Shenango, ½	69	6		7	3	3	46	19	15	3	3	2	2		400	30	520	7 53		12	17	100	16	

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Robert McWatty	Mercer, Pa.	2d. Mercer	280	5	10	6	9	.....	339	100	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	1200	1250	2909	10 38	.....	12	17	90	100
W. A. Mehard, (Prof.)	N. Wilmingtondo	East Brook—½	*106	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*12			
R. K. Ormond	Sharon, do	Sharon	230	9	21	4	7	4	60	60	.....	14	.....	5	.....	10	1000	5000	6149	26 73	.....	12	18	170	100
W. J. Snodgrass	W. Middlesex,do	West Middlesex	105	7	11	2	5	.....	84	31	11	5	.....	2	.....	.....	1000	225	1388	13 22	.....	12	10	50	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Hugh B. Munnel	Leesburg do	Leesburg	61	.....	.....	10	8	.....	41	28	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	30	329	25	461	7 55					
H. Bovard	Plain Grove, do	Plain Grove	86	1	2	4	8	.....	151	73	10	12	10	5	5	51	550	120	986	11 47	.....	12	17	158	51
		2d. N. Wilmingt'n	*131	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*12			
		Harbor—15	*46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*6			
Without Charge.																									
John Armstrong	N.Wilmington,do																								
Wm. Findley, D. D	do																								
Joseph McClintock	Worth, do																								
Edward Small	Mercer, do																								
E. T. Jeffers, Pres.—13	N.Wilmington,do																								
Licentiates, 4.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 14.	1921	50	68	73	59	11	1118	622	146	59	59	28	17	468	8772	7687	17632	9 86	.....	11	152	1110	635
MICHIGAN.																									
John Anderson	Martin, Mich.	Martin	127	6	.....	6	4	.....	151	79	40	11	7	9	10	200	1000	.....	1502	11 82	.....	7	18	130	68
J. N. Buchanan, S. C.	Hebron, Ind.	Hebron	75	3	1	4	9	.....	30	20	4	13	.....	.....	.....	155	430	40	692	9 03	.....	12	7	70	20
J. W. Buchanan	Harris Creek, Mi.	Caledonia	24	1	.....	7	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192	.....	192	8	166	4	4	20	
do	do	Orangeville	*16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....									
do	do	Campbell	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	92	3 48	84				
R. H. Smith—4	Holland, do	Drenthe	138	.....	.....	4	30	.....	35	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	50	495	3 58	.....	12	1	40	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies*																							
J. B. McKercher	Centerville, do	Centerville	21	.....	.....	1	3	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	312	15					
Wm. M. Hood	Laporte, Ind.	Laporte—8	12	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	15	.....	25	2					
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 4.	427	10	1	23	51	1	216	123	44	24	7	4	10	365	2377	90	3260	8 05	250	9	30	260	88
MINNESOTA.																									
D. F. Reid	Ella, Wis.	Pepin & Con.	62	4	1	1	13	.....	4	10	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	20	338	5 46	250	12	5	25	1
J. T. Tate	Lake City, Min.	Caledonia†	60	.....	.....	16	5	.....	17	41	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	400	30	497	8 24	250	7	4	30	
E. A. Brownlee	Blue Earth, do	Rome	17	1	1	1	2	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	203	11 94	300	6	2	21	
J. L. Whitla	Burbank, do	Zion & Leven	29	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	150	150	309	10 35	200	6	8	75	
John Taylor, S. C.	Redwood Falls,do	Argyle	23	.....	4	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	295	15	310	13 00	400	6	2	20	
James Rogers	Shakopee, do.	Eden Prairie and Glendale, 6	*70																						
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 5.	261	7	6	19	20	1	24	51	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	1305	215	1657	5 32	1400	6	21	171	1

MONMOUTH.																								
J. G. Barnes	Monmouth, Ill.	1st Monmouth	302	15	28	18	6	.....	195	147	111	22	22	8	.....	2200	1200	578	4483	14 85	.....	12	17	150	117
D. M. Ure	do do	2d Monmouth	244	10	29	22	3	.....	149	123	42	10	10	.....	15	1928	1500	575	4292	17 60	.....	12	25	240	61
J. M. Waddle, S. C.	Young America do	Young America	186	7	3	40	5	2	70	50	8	10	10	10	.....	.....	1200	.....	1558	8 50	.....	12	15	100	75
S. W. Lorimer	Sagetown, do	South Henderson†	111	1	9	3	8	.....	84	45	36	9	9	.....	.....	54	800	129	1366	12 30	.....	9	20	103	23
J. A. Edie	Clayton, do	Clayton†	90	6	11	2	6	.....	66	44	33	6	6	.....	.....	1276	950	.....	.....	14 00	.....	12	10	90	30
David Inches	Spring Grove, do	Spring Grove	91	5	8	19	3	.....	81	51	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	61	700	91	1026	11 27	.....	12	8	60	36
R. Graham	Biggsville do	Biggsville	90	3	4	8	6	.....	68	43	10	5	5	.....	.....	17	836	407	1371	15 45	.....	12	10	85	25
D A. Wallace, LL.D., s. s.	Monmouth, do	Henderson	101	8	4	9	9	.....	75	41	42	8	8	.....	.....	278	644	70	1166	11 00	.....	8	6	60	
J. R. Doig, D D., s. s.	do do	3d Monmouth	48	5	3	13	4	1	10	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	366	.....	260	.....	.....	150				
A M Black, D. D., s. s.	do do	lexandria	32	.....	11	3	5	.....	11	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100				
J. C. Hutchison, s. s.	do do	Summit	13	1	1	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	130	10	190	14 61	.....	6	4	30	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
J. S. King	Raritan, Ill.	Ellison	85	4	.....	17	6	.....	.....	.....	76	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	75	.....	10 00	.....	6	8	40	
M McGaughey	Fount'in Green do	Fountain Green	24	1	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	150	35	255	10 62	50	12	6	30	
T. C. Elliott	Y'ng America, do	Smith Creek	*59																						
John Caruthers	Olena, do	Olena	84	6	10	12	16	1	25	12	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	140	900	.....	1016	12 00	.....	12	13	90	30
E. S. Erskine	Sparland, do	Fairfield	70	2	2	3	6	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	8 70	.....	8	9	98	
J. H. Turnbull	Elmira, do	Elmira †	70	.....	.....	9	5	.....	57	42	32	6	6	3	.....	.....	750	.....	1022	14 00	.....	.....	7	60	
	Ellisville, do	Ellisville																							
M. Bower	Basco, do	Basco	13	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70				
		Elvaston																							
Without Charge.		4th Monmouth																							
E. McCoy	Y'ng Amer. do	3d Monmouth. J. M. McConnell, Cor.	M. S. S.																						
A. Young, LL.D., Prof.	Monmouth, do																								
J. M. Graham	do do																								
John Scott, D D., Prof.	do de																								
R. Ross	do do																								
G. D. Henderson, Agent	do do																								
N. McDowell	do do																								
N. R Kirkpatrick	do do																								
J. M Henderson	do do																								
J H Montgomery	Elmira, do																								
A. McMillen.—22.	Olena, do																								
Licentiates, 6.	*Students*, 5.	*Sab. Schools*, 20.	1704	74	123	193	92	5	891	604	420	88	76	21	15	6400	10660	2230	18345	11 46	375	10	158	1236	397
MONONGAHELA.																									
W J Reid	38 Fed. St., Pitg'h	1st Pittsburgh	382	17	18	38	26	.....	550	523	427	31	31	12	25	543	3000	1653	6795	17 79	.....	12	18	106	324
T. H. Hanna	do	2d do (2)	470	13	26	54	19	1	1282	1282	376	53	50	15	.....	5675	3125	2460	14198	30 20	.....	12	57	710	617
S. R. Frazier	do	3d do	302	15	37	6	14	.....	210	206	50	.....	3	.....	50	4000	2000	1554	6090	20 20	.....	12	20	130	125
John Gailey	do	4th do	265	11	20	16	15	.....	125	100	.....	10	.....	5	.....	285	1500	1420	3445	13 00	.....	12	14	150	140
S. B. Reed	do	5th do	450	32	27	30	50	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	1600	1540	3140	6 97	.....	12	20	150	125
R. B. Ewing	Station A, do	6th do	215	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	461	1850	325	3005	14 21	.....	12	16	130	125
W H. Andrew, S. C	Pittsburgh.,	7th do	330	22	50	52	36	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	1200	2006	3206	9 71	.....	12	18	148	146
John S. Sands, 5 Marion st.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	8th do	137	14	23	7	9	2	50	25	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	11	300	3440	3860	28 17	500	12	22	250	160
D. Barclay	White Ash, do	Hebron (2)	136	4	6	7	17	.....	103	72	73	21	11	4	.....	.....	800	323	1407	10 58	.....	7	15	125	24
W. P. Shaw	Oakdale, do	Noblestown	125	7	7	16	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00					
J. D. Turner	Remington, do	Union	240	16	2	12	8	2	190	130	200	20	20	7	.....	200	1500	.....	2267	9 44	.....	6	18	150	200

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				Professions.	Certificates.		Infant.	Adult.	Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund.	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregation.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Amount.	Average per Member.		Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Contributions.
W. H. Knox	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Wylie Avenue	80	25	.....	....	30	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	12	30	150	
James Grier, D. D.	Noblestown, do	Robinson's Run	209	8	7	6	13	.....	148	108	84	17	17	.....	...	68	1000	67	1562	6 42	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
J. C. Boyd	Mt. Lebanon, do	St. Clair,	202	15	6	31	10	.....	268	124	139	23	18	6	5	50	1000	10200	11773	58 28	.....	6	14	110	30
W. M. Coleman	Pittsburgh, do	Birmingham.	210	13	14	16	25	.....	150	113	20	18	10	6	...	230	1200	1000	2747	13 00	.....	12	15	100	125
J. D. Irons	Hulton, do	Verona	58	4	2	3	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	111	800	475	1385	22 58	.....	6	10	50	60
C. B. Hatch	Surgeon Hall, do	Mifflin	*66																						
do	do do	Jefferson	*69																						
G. K. Ormond	Mansfield, do	Mansfield	*94																						
Correspondent.		*Vacancy.*																							
H. C. Brown	Temper'ville, do	Temperance'le, 20.	*112																						
Without Charge.																									
D. R. Kerr, D. D. *Ed & Prof.*	Pittsburgh, do																								
J. G. Brown, D. D. *Sec. of H. M. Bd.*	do do																								
Robert Stephenson	do do																								
J. C. Nevin, F. M.	Canton, China do																								
F. A. Hutchinson	Noblestown, do																								
H. C. McFarland, 24	Hulton, do																								
Licentiates, 2.	*Students, 1.*	*Sab. Schools, 14.*	4027	209	238	268	277	10	3018	2683	1369	202	160	55	105	11634	20875	26463	66564	16 53	1100	10	285	2459	2226
MUSKINGUM.																									
John Comin, D. D.	Rixville, Ohio.	Salt Creek	200	6	9	10	15	1	80	60	15	18	15	3	...	.....	800	60	1181	5 90	.....	6	10	70	15
James Duncan	Creighton, do	Lebanon	*213	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1000	.....	1000	.....	.....	6			
James P. Lytle	Sago, do	Bloomfield	*203	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	700	.....	700	.....	.....	6			
Wm. H. McFarland,	Cambridge do	Cambridge	260	14	14	16	20	1	120	100	50	10	20	5	5	2000	1200	400	4260	16 38	.....	12	18	200	320
James C. Murch, S. C.	New Concord, do	New Concord	235	5	19	10	14	3	100	50	.....	5	.....	.....	...	36	600	70	861	3 66	.....	12	11	125	10
David Thompson	Milnersville, do	Clear Fork. ½	46	3	.....	6	.....	.....	62	30	14	.....	14	6	...	4	250	.....	380	17 00	.....	5	6	30	20
James White	Mt. Perry, do	Jonathan's Creek.	145	7	3	2	8	.....	69	57	7	5	5	.....	..	8	1000	55	1226	8 50	....	6	13	100	17
A. H. Caldwell	Antrim, do	Antrim	200	8	1	5	9	.....	70	78	25	10	10	.....	5	10	800	.....	1008	5	.....	7	12	150	50
David Paul, D. D.	New Concord, do	East Union, ½	90	5	2	3	5	1	35	16	5	5	.....	5	...	.....	500	136	707	7 85	.....	6	12	100	
S. M. Hutchison	Washington, do	Washington, ½	109	10	10	9	5	1	19	15	3	5	3	.....	...	50	450	45	590	.....	.....	6			
do	do do	Fairview, ½	175	6	6	4	4	.....	27	22	3	1	1	1	3	50	550	50	706	.....	.....	6	14	100	
W. C. Somers	Kimbolton, do	New Salem, ¾	110	12	.....	5	.....	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	640	.....	736	6 69	.....	6	10	75	10
do	do do	Ridge, ¼																							
Joseph T. Campbell	Indian Camp, do	Mt. Hermon	160	13	11	5	10	4	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	800	3534	4361	27 25	.....	12	6	100	71
R. H. Boyd	Londonderry, do	Londonderry	*101	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	750	.....	750						
W. S. Harper	Barlow, do	Barlow	78	1	3	5	3	.....	18	15	6	5	5	3	...	.....	700	150	915	11 13	100				
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
M. R. Cherry	NewPlymouth do	New Plymouth	24	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	156	5	161	6 70					

John Yost	Glenford, do	Thornville	15			2			3	3							230	8	244	16 25							
Robert N. Moore	McCluney, do	Goshen	20			2			10								90	2	102	5							
Joseph Smith	Morganville, do	Sunday Creek	*26																								
	Sharon, do	Sharon	*20																								
	Rushville, do	Rush Creek																									
Abram Armstrong	Midway, do	Pleasant Hill, ¾	*70														600		600								
S. M. Hadden	Norwich, do	Norwich, ½—24	*81														500		500								
Without Charge.																											
Hugh Forsythe	Cambridge, do																										
Rufus Johnson—16	Midway, do																										
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 3.	*Sab. Schools*, 13.	2378	90	78	84	95	11	736	446	128	64	73	23	13	2158	10616	4515	18772	8 57	100	6	112	1050	513		
NEBRASKA.																											
Marion Morrison	Col. Springs, Ia.	Amity	274	4	20	27	28	1	122	144	233	845				75	1000	150	1769	6 45		7	21	261	40		
D. C. Wilson	Clarinda, do	Clarinda	40		11	9	4		20	28	51		3	1		20	290	950	1363	34 07		12	5	53	22		
I. A. Wilson	N. Bend, Neb.	North Bend	36	1	2	7	2		20	18	9		2		1		230	45	358	9 95	300	12	7	53	30		
R. B. Stewart	Rock Bluffs, do	Rock Bluffs	39	2	2	8	1	1	24	10		5		2		3	335	14	403	10 40	350	6	5	50	4		
R. J. McReady	Pawnee City, do	Pawnee City	45	3	13	5	11	1	10	10	10	2	1	1	1		275	200	510	11 33	200	12	8	55			
do	do do	Scotch Valley	21	2	1	1	2		4	4	2						100		110	5 23	150						
N. E. Wade, S. C.	Red Oak, Iowa.	Red Oak	31	2	12	6	4		10	10	10						275	998	1273	41 00	450	12	8	65	15		
J. A. Shankland, S. S.	Villisca, do	North Page	*40																								
W. M. Graham, S. S.	Cass Centre, do	Cass Centre, ½	6	3	10	1	8		2		6					3	135		166	7 13		6	6	28	1		
James Duncan, S. S.	Omaha, Neb.	Omaha	12		6		1															12	6	40	20		
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																									
J. R. Knox	Page City, Ia.	Page City	19		1	1			5	9	9					10	100	25	158	8 31		7	7	37			
		Delaware—12	16	1		1	3			8	13					12	112	16	221	13 82		6	7	27	9		
Without Charge.																											
J. L. McLean, Inf.	Red Oak, do																										
A. T. McDill, Prof.	Col. Springs, do																										
Thos. McCague	Omaha, Neb																										
Jos. Maughlin—12																											
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 10.	569	18	78	66	57	3	247	241	334	52	6	4	2	122	2872	2398	7131	19 58	1750	9.2	79	670	119		
1st NEW YORK.																											
John Erskine	Walden, N. Y.	Graham's Ch.†	58		4	1	3		20	20						50	750	350	1190	20 50		6	4	25			
J. G. D. Findley, S. C.	Newburg, do	Newburg, (2)	208	11	10	17	14	1	143	71	50	2601	10			68	1200	782	4925	23 68		12	26	175	120		
S. H. Graham	107 Bedford St.do	7th Avenue, N. Y.	210	22	18	30	9	1	345	338	65	25	25		8	500	2500	1000	4806	22 88		12	23	110	76		
Robert Armstrong	Hudson City, N.J	2d Ch. Jersey City.	106	12	11	7	5		20	20	10	11				19	1150	1370	2600	24 53	350	12	20	174	75		
S. J. Stewart	424 W.19th St.N.Y	W. 25th St., N. Y.	235	39	19	8	7	1	98	58	62	1550	10	5	10	590	2000	2600	6983	29 71		12	35	250	347		
John Teas	Patterson, N. J.	Patterson	176	79	34	2	22	1	30	35	15	111				27	1150	718	2086	11 81	350	12	21	146	228		
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																									
Robert Harper	Hoboken, do	Hoboken,†	37			7	2		30	30	10	40	10	2	10		868	915	1915	51 75		12	9	60	60		
		E. 11th St., N. Y.	65	7	3	8	4		25	30	10	10			5	1080	1200	427	2787	42 87		12	7	42	20		
Robert Blair	168 E 120 St.,N.Y.	127thSt.Ch.,N.Y.,9	32	8	24												203	6502	6705	209 50		6	8	42	14		
Without Charge.																											
James Harper, D.D., Prof.	Newburgh, do																										
A. C. Tris, Miss'y to Jews	4th Av.& 55 St.do																										
Andrew Henry—9																											
Licentiates, 4.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 10.	1129	178	123	80	66	5	711	711	602	4348	55	7	33	2334	11021	14664	33997	30 11	700	10.6	153	1024	940		

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2d NEW YORK.																									
H. H. Blair.....34	Perry st., N. Y.	Charles Street.,...	562	30	20	12	37	.....	225	200	506	50	25	10	40	2080	3000	1100	7236	12 88	.....	12	35	150	145
D. J. Patterson, 282 Dean	st., Brooklyn, do	2d Brooklyn.....	249	13	8	6	16	.....	40	30	... .	25	....	.....	25	50	2000	1164	3454	13 50	.....	12	12	165	120
G. Campbell.....422	W. 44th st., do	West 44th Street..	312	27	21	40	32	.....	105	50	38	20	12	7	30	....	2000	829	3091	9 92	.....	12	20	21:	314
J. S. McCulloch.....316	E. 122d st., do	Harlem.....	83	10	15	22	18	.....	50	20	10	5	5	2	7	112	1500	522	2233	26 90	.....	12	10	82	84
G. D. Mathews.....221	W. 15th st., do	Jane Street.....																							
Arch. Crawford, S. C.....	Newark N. J.	Newark	149	28	16	16	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45	1200	922	2167	15 00	.....	12	10	50	75
Thos. H. Pollock, ...	Hudson City, do	Jersey City.....	117	6	9	11	23	....	50	60	22	37	9	4	9	126	1200	336	1853	15 84	.....	12	13	113	93
R. T. Wylie.....202 4th st.,	Williamsb'gh N.Y	1st Brooklyn—8...	115	5	7	6	15	.....	77	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	1000	417	1456	12 66	200	12	18	122	96
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 9.	1587	119	89	113	147	.....	547	398	576	137	51	23	111	2437	11900	5290	21490	15 24	200	12	118	897	927
FIRST OHIO.																									
J. Y. Scouller.....	Fairhaven, Ohio.	Fairhaven.....	159	1	4	17	3	.....	90	50	45	62	70	8	.....	65	1054	150	1594	10 00	.....	12	16	150	54
Wm. Davidson, D. D.....	Hamilton, do	Hamilton †.....	*240																						
Jos. MacHatton	Morning Sun, do	Hopewell †.....	245	8	3	29	14	.....	242	190	78	59	22	....	29	605	1200	212	2637	10 76	.....	7	18	190	85
J. L. Aten, S. C.....	College Corner.do	Unity.	63	5	4	3	2	1	50	29	30	5	.....	.....	.....	97	700	60	971	15 41	.....	12	6	30	5
J. H. Elliott.....	20 Mile Stand do	Sycamore &Hopk	69	1	.....	5	4	.....	58	46	18	17	.....	.....	.....	11	700	90	940	13 62	.....	12	16	155	54
W. H. French.....	Cincinnati. do	Cincinnati.....	114	5	7	8	1	.....	102	30	.....	15	.....	10	.....	44	1500	500	2201	19 30	.....	12	16	101	101
J. H. Cooper.....	Morning Sun, do	Morning Sun, (2).	69	2	6	3	5	.....	38	31	10	12	6	.....	.....	136	1015	98	1346	19 50	.....	8	16	132	124
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
S. W. Stewart.....	Monroe, Ohio.	Mt. Pleasant.†. ...	85	1	4	11	1	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	222	380	602	7 08					
John Fisher.....	Oxford, do	Oxford	83	4	5	14	4	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	400	30	457	5 50	.....	12	.....	30	
J. S. Wead	Dayton, do	Dayton	29	2	.....	19	1	.....	6	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	512	100	625	21 55	.....	12	8	40	
R. Turnbull, P. E	Richmond, Ind.	Richmond —11....	44		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	1000	120	1120	25 45	150	12	5	30	20
Without Charge.																									
Adrian Aten, Inf.—8.....	College Corner, O.																								
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 11.	1200	29	33	109	35	1	606	383	181	170	98	18	29	965	8303	1740	12493	13 01	150	10	93	858	343
OREGON.																									
J. M. Dick	Eugene City, Ore.	Chiastin.....	25	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.... .	.....	15									
S. G. Irvine, S. C.....	Albany, do	Albany ½.....	65	12	4	8	5	1	46	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	450	260	796	12 25	.....	12	16	103	
		Willamette ½.....	47	3	6	.....	7	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	341	50	427	9 00	.....	12	7	50	6
James Worth.....	Brownsville, do	Brownsville ½....,	40	1	3	3	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	200	200	464	11 00	.....	7	6	35	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Caleb Grey.....	Halsey, do	Halsey ½.....	27	7	7	3	4	.....	20	11	28	.....	.....	.... ..	.....	7	302	137	505	18 70	.....	8	7	25	
Wm. McBride.....	Shedd's do	Calipooia, ½.....	*40																						
David Irvin	Corvallis do	Corvallis.....	*11																						
Wm. Smith.....	Waitsburg, W. T.	Delta, 8.....	23	3	4	2	1	1	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.... .	.....	.....	500	.....	510	22 18	500	12	1	17	

Without Charge.																									
S. D. Gager	Lebanon, Or.																								
T. J. Wilson	Delta, W. T.																								
R. N. Fee, Tea. of Ind.—6	Lewist'n, Idaho T.																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 4.	278	20	24	16	19	2	66	80	28					69	1793	647	2702	13 37	500	10	7	46	6
PHILADELPHIA.																									
Wm. Easton	Smyrna, Pa.	Octaroro	70	3	1	3	3		10	10		7			3		300	40	370	5 00		6	7	40	
J. B. Dales, D. D	1628 Filbert st. do	2nd Phila	605	27	16	31	31	3	671	320	936	50	50	18		3000	3000	1600	9645	16 00		12	40	300	432
F. Church	3335 Woodland st,	1st do†	340	15	5	18	27		150	50	5	5			5	155	1500	1316	3186	9 37		12	16	139	50
James Price,	Frankford, Phila.	7th do	87	7	8	23	6		2	2	2					50	822	563	1441	16 56	300	12	16	140	87
W. W. Barr	705 South 16th st.,	8th do	365	22	19	25	26		253	163	187	20	20	10	5	127	1800	881	4009	12 00		12	25	319	543
James Crowe	2245 North 2d st.,	9th do	260	27	32	17	19		21	17	65	10	7	5	5	300	1500	7000	8929	34 34		12	24	325	172
W. C. Jackson	1522 Catherine st.,	4th do†	314	30	32	10	23		25								1500	2893	4418	14 07		12	32	310	342
Samuel S. White, S. C.	36 North 38th st.,	10th do	123	20	4	16			48	25	75					20	1200	1045	2313	18 77	200	12	20	130	100
James C. Wilson	1636 Franklin st.,	3rd do	322	26	24	22	24	4	240	185	140	30	30	10	25	1939	2500	912	6011	18 66		12	33	314	370
Joseph R. Kerr	1716 Master st.,	North do	174	34	49	3	7	4	300	200	100	50	25	15	60	5584	3300	5395	15029	86 37		12	36	286	200
G. A. B. Robinson	Oxford, Pa.	Oxford, † (2)	97	1		15	1		15	20	5	5					550	500	1095	11 28		9	17	100	50
J. C. Campbell	36 North 38th st..	6th Phila	51	8	3	3		1									1000	204	1204	23 23		12	8	40	45
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
B. Simpson, Esq	Lib'ty Square, Pa.	Muddy Run	14														65	20	85	6 71					
W. K. Carson	Cor. Cal. & Lom st	Baltimore †	138	4	4	5	6		288	93	31	38	17	5			1500	1384	3320	24 06		12	19	110	108
Wm. M. McNight, Esq.	1717 Wylie street,	5th Phila.	265	30	17		18		80	30	120	35				55	1600	900	2820	10 67		12	23	175	255
Without Charge.																									
J. F. Patterson, M. D.	Damascus Syria,																								
A. Calhoun																									
E. H. Stevenson, Prof.	Oxford, Pa.																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 15	3225	254	214	191	191	12	2103	1115	1666	250	149	63	103	11230	22137	24653	63875	24 67	500	12	316	2728	2754
PRINCETON.																									
John McMaster, D. D.	Princeton, Ind.	2d Princeton, (4)	165	5	6	3	14	1	60	31	58	17	12	19	4	76	1000	1115	2392	14 52		12	29	175	
W. P. McNary	Bloomington, do	Bloomington	291	27	5	14	10	3	97	76	25	5	5	2	3	100	1200	1989	3502	12 00		12	21	244	113
James Ingles	Scotland, do	Scotland	107	5	2	2	6		16	9						21	350	120	516	4 82		12	5	50	
S. F. Clark	Princeton, do	1st Princeton	80	2	1	1	8			28	20	46	2	2	1	15	650	63	927	11 60	100	6	10	74	28
W. G. Spencer, S. C.	Portland Mills, do	Portland	56	4		4	8	2	41	30		4	4	1	1	28	500	35	644	11 56					
A. S. Montgomery	Brown's Sta., Ill.	West Union	105	20		1	8	7	13		37		1	1	1	12	200	80	345	3 29		6	6	60	6
Alex. MacHatton	Palestine, do	Morea	82	6	3	7	12		8	10			4			112	400	64	598	7 29		12	10	70	15
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Jas. B. Smith	Robison, do	West Bethel	44	8	4	2	7		7	4		2	3				145	639	800	18 18	50	5	5	26	
David Proudfit	McLeansboro, do	Belle Prairie	27	1		1		1			5					10	120	5	140	5 18					
Wm. Campbell	Whitehall, Ind.	White Hall	34	1		2			1	6	1					9	182	1	200	5 91	100	8	4	24	
John Wisely	Vandalia, do	Vandalia	*36																						
		Somerville	*90																						
		Eden—13	*57																						
Without Charge.																									
John Bryan	Bloomington, do																								
W. H. Reid	do do																								
Wm Turner	do do																								
James McRea—11	Somerville, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 11.	1174	79	21	37	73	14	243	194	146	74	31	25	10	383	4747	4111	9964	10 15	250	9	90	723	162

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				Profession.	Certificates.		Infant.	Adult.	Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund.	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregation.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Amount.	Average per Member.		Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Contributions.
ROCK ISLAND.																									
J. A. Reynolds	Rock Island, Ill.	Rock Island	56	7	13	3	3	.....	30	22	16	.....	.....	2	.....	402	600	.....	1080	19 28	400	12	12	103	56
J. H. Nash, S. C	Sunbeam, do	Sunbeam	123	6	4	27	5	1	100	73	53	12	12	4	.....	179	800	.....	1268	10 20	.....	12	14	95	35
J. M. French	Norwood, do	North Henderson.	145	12	11	15	9	1	119	88	60	12	12	4	.....	834	1100	.....	2178	15 02	.....	12	14	179	65
W. T. Campbell	Little York, do	Little York	184	13	4	17	7	1	112	97	70	16	16	5	.....	441	900	.....	1658	9 00	.....	12	10	50	50
W. S. McClanahan	Viola, do	Viola	112	1	3	9	6	.....	82	61	27	10	10	4	.....	220	800	.....	1268	11 69	.....	12	12	120	57
J. M. Atchison	Little York, do	Cedar Creek	123	3	10	6	4	.....	80	44	26	9	3	.....	.....	32	1000	.....	1203	9 78	.....	12	9	105	19
T. B. Turnbull	Aledo, do	Aledo	112	4	14	8	6	2	75	50	20	10	10	3	.....	529	800	.....	1445	12 71	.....	12	12	104	29
R. S. Campbell	Coal Valley, do	Homestead,†	61	3	4	2	10	.....	26	27	21	4	4	1	.....	177	750	.....	1269	20 80	.....	12	5	52	18
S. H. Weed	Colona, do	Colona, ½	31	1	2	4	.....	.....	5	2	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	276	112	.....	368	11 90	100	12	6	35	12
J. U. McClanahan	Davenport, Iowa.	Davenport	47	1	9	8	3	.....	39	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	420	.....	563	11 99	400	12	7	30	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Hamilton Wreath	Port Byron, do	Pleasant Unity, 11.	28	1	1	5	2	.....	5	5	1	1	1	1	.....	31	.....	.....	341	12 15	100	6	5	40	1
J. R. McCalister	Rock Island, do	M. S. S.																							
Without Charge.																									
J. R. McCalister	do do																								
John Wallace—12	Monmouth, do																								
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 11.	1002	51	74	104	55	5	673	528	308	74	67	24	.....	2589	7282	.....	12641	12 61	1000	12	106	913	342
SAN FRANCISCO.																									
M. M. Gibson	S. Francisco, Cal.	San Francisco	258	12	17	12	19	1	23	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1950	5750	7743	30	.....	12	24	190	167
David Morrow, S. S.—2	Roseville, do	Roseville.	10	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	250	25	250				
Correspondents.																									
Robert Smith	Salinas, do	Salinas—3	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	650	.....	650	40	350				
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab Schools*, 3.	284	12	27	12	19	1	23	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2850	5750	8643	30 50	600	12	24	190	167
SEALKOTE.																									
Missionaries.																									
Samuel Martin	Sealkote, N. Ind.	Sealkote	39	4	6	9	7	3	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30						
do	Zafferwall, do	Zafferwall	9	2	.....	4	2	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5						
James P. McKee	Gujranwala, do	Gujranwala	20	.....	.....	1	3	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15						
James S. Barr	Now in America.	Gurdaspore	3																						
Native Minister.																									
E. S. Swift	Gujranwala, N.I'd.																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 1.		71	6	6	14	12	4	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50						

SIDNEY.																										
Benjamin Waddle, D. D.	Kenton, Ohio.	Kenton,	71	.....	5	7	2	.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	40	500	40	621	8 74	.....	12	8	35	20
H. H. Thompson, S. C.	Urbana do	Urbana	50	.....	.....	4	2	.....	18	12	3	4	2	1	.....	20	600	60	720	14 40	.....	6	5	25	
John Williamson	Bellefontaine, do	Bellefontaine	163	6	12	8	4	1	74	24	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	180	790	176	1245	7 85	.....	12	16	150	74
J. A. Bailey	Sidney, do	Sidney,	165	7	5	9	6	2	58	35	8	4	4	1	.....	60	1000	150	1320	8 12	.....	12	15	166	37
J. H. Brown	Piqua, do	Piqua	153	8	2	7	10	3	100	75	20	17	8	5	.....	51	1300	269	1845	12 05	.....	12	19	175	90
J. H. Buchanan	Huntsville, do	Huntsville, ¾	91	2	2	7	10	3	74	60	17	8	8	7	9	100	600	20	903	9 96	.....	12	13	50	42
do	do do	Roundhead, ¼	20	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	13	2	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	....	218	10 89					
S. C. Hubbel	Scotch Ridge, do	Scotch Ridge	76	7	.....	1	3	1	10	20	.....	.....	10	5	.....	27	625	20	717	10 91	.....	6	8	45	27
Alex. Smith	Northwood, do	Northwood.	134	11	4	9	11	1	77	52	35	12	7	3	3	70	800	41	1100	8 20	.....	8	10	60	20
John Gilmore	N. California do	Sugar Run, ⅔	79	.....	1	2	1	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53	450	....	513	6 49	.....	12	10	100	30
do		Unionville, ⅓	40	.....	3	4	1	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	300	....	312	7 80	.....	6	5	30	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Robert McKee	Fostoria, do	Cass	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	103	6 25					
Wm. Stevenson	Ft. Recovery, do	Macedon	25	3	.....	1	3	.....	4	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	108	4 32					
James English	Versailles, do	Bethel	*14																						
Wm. Hanna	Cannonsburg, do	Canonsburg	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	225	A ...	225	3 21					
John C. McClung	Leipsic, do	Leipsic	40	.....	1	.....	3	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	128	.....	140	3 50	.....	12	4	35	
G. A. Duguid	Fremont Mich.	California	47	3	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	267	5 68	150	6	5	30	
G. McCausland	Spring Lake. Ohio.	Spring Lake	15	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	....	105	7 00	100	6	4	25	
Jesse Kerr	Grand Rapids, do	Gilead—19	44	1	.....	1	.....	1	22	5	4	9	.....	.....	.....	26	200	.....	266	6 04	.....	8	9	60	
Without Charge.																									
James Wallace—10	Bellefontaine, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 14.	1393	49	35	60	38	8	506	318	90	54	39	28	12	637	8268	776	10728	8 30	250	9	131	980	340
SOUTHERN ILL.																									
J. C. Elliott, S. C.	Swanwick, Ill.	Bethel .....,	118	11	4	7	8	2	15	15	.....	77	.....	3	2	38	600	21	771	6 53	.....	12	10	100	20
M. Harshaw	Cutler, do	Concord	48	5	2	5	5	.....	16	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	120	540	11 25	.....	7	13	60	
James M. Henderson	Oakdale, do	Elkhorn.	86	10	8	5	6	.....	17	16	.....	122	.....	.....	.....	110	600	20	885	10 29	.....	6	8	40	
John E. Richey	Pinkneyville, do	Hopewell	140	2	3	9	7	.....	41	27	15	53	3	.....	.....	10	700	143	992	7 08	.....	12	16	80	10
J. W. Glenn	Marissa, do	Marissa, ½	68	12	7	1	5	.....	27	15	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	400	200	842	12 38	.....	12	17	127	42
do	do do	Mud Creek, ½	47	6	.....	1	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	300	6 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	
W. J. Gillespie	Sparta, do	Sparta	286	12	13	9	19	1	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	178	1200	1583	3011	10 52	.....	12	30	220	125
T. P. Proudfit	do do	Union	110	21	8	39	17	1	20	21	10	50	.....	.....	.....	80	700	416	1297	11 80	.....	12	12	100	31
S. B. Moore, P. E.	Preston, do	Springfield	122	4	1	6	7	1	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	100	700	50	855	7 00	.....	12	12	60	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
William Little	Centralia, do	Centralia	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	4	27	
David Munford	Coulterville, do	Coulterville	113	23	11	25	4	1	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	10	.....	.....	600	1231	1841	16 29	.....	12	16	160	24
A. M. Munroe	Cuba, Mo.	Cuba	28	1	.....	.....	4	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	200	56	258	9 21	150	9	6	24	
G. C. Aiken	Flora, Ill.	Flora	*8																						
Wm. Boyle	Jordan'sGrove, do	Jordan's Grove	90	2	2	8	12	.....	7	62	11	7	.....	9	.....	34	624	100	854	9 48	.....	6	12	70	
J. C. Stevenson	Tilden, do	Prosperity	155	4	5	16	14	.....	25	15	.....	145	.....	.....	.....	30	800	1750	2765	17 83	.....	12	12	135	29
J. B. Morton	Raccoon, do	Romine Prairie	74	4	1	6	8	2	.....	.....	.....	92	.....	.....	.....	390	.....	. ...	482	6 51	.....	12	.....	.. .	7
J. K. Rainey	Salem, do	Salem	*15																						
J. A. Sturges, 106 S. Com'l	st., St. Louis, Mo.	St. Louis	130	7	1	20	12	1	80	.....	44	25	7	13	.....	834	1965	1180	4148	31 90		12	8	60	45

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J. R. Putney	Xenia, Ill.	Xenia Prairie—19.	90	.....	26	20	10	1	7	17	.....	60	.....	3	.....	60	296	243	686	7 62	.....	12	9	60	
Without Charge.																									
James Howie. Inf.	Cuba, Mo.																								
James Morrow, Inf.	Tilden, Ill.																								
John Todd	Preston, do																								
J. R. Finney, Prof—11	Coulterville, do																								
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 17.	1768	124	92	177	147	11	305	188	82	740	10	38	2	1964	10085	7113	20527	12 59	150	10	185	1323	333
STAMFORD.																									
John Gillespie, S. C.	Milton, Ont. Can.	Milton.† (3.)	85	3	1	2	2	.....	37	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	400	875	1356	15 81	.....	5	11	65	27
Robert Acheson	Galt, do	Galt, †	226	5	3	4	14	.....	227	51	20	10	5	5	5	83	700	246	1352	6 00	.....	12	5	40	28
James McGill	Stamford, do	Stamford.† ⅔	73	2	.....	.....	7	.....	10	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	400	70	500	6 95	.....	8	10	57	
do		Port Robinson, ⅓.	35	1	.....	.....	5	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	200	50	266	7 60	.....	12	7	30	
David Mann	Walton, do	Walton,†	80	.....	8	6	10	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	500	1300	1810	22 62	.....	8	4	60	
Correspondent.		*Vacancy.*																							
Adam Telfer	Telfer, do	Telfer, †—6.	54	1	.....	2	4	.....	12	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	71	489	9 00	.....	12	4	30	
Without Charge.																									
Thomas Hannay, D.D—5																									
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 8.	553	12	12	14	42	.....	297	86	20	10	5	5	5	133	2600	2612	5773	10 44	.....	9.5	41	287	55
STEUBENVILLE.																									
J. M. Jamieson	Hopedale, Ohio.	Piney Fork, ½	84	3	.....	7	2	1	20	20	5	1	1	3	6	57	400	30	543	6 47	.....	6	8	125	29
do		Bloomfield, ½	35	1	5	.....	1	.....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	1000	1383	39 52	.....				
I. N. White. S. C.	Gavers, do	Lebanon, ⅔	90	.....	3	1	2	.....	68	43	14	6	3	2	9	50	525	100	820	9 11	.....	12	5	30	5
do	do do	Glade Run, ⅓	70	2	.....	2	1	1	12	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	20	338	4 83	.....	6	4	20	
J. H. Leiper	E. Liverpool, do	Calcutta. ½†	115	3	.....	6	7	.....	122	69	46	5	8	2	6	43	500	175	976	8 49	.....	12	9	80	10
do	do do	West Beaver, ½	107	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	94	30	10	2	4	.....	.....	42	500	525	1207	11 30	.....	12	9	75	14
J. C. Taggart	E. Liverpool, do	East Liverpool	118	4	10	10	15	.....	176	75	40	7	8	7	9	20	1000	104	1446	12 25	.....	12	12	100	90
Thos. J. Kennedy	Steubenville, do	Steubenville,†	215	20	9	19	8	1	160	125	89	20	20	6	20	20	1500	1470	3430	12 23	.....	12	22	160	110
H. Y. Leiper	Moore's S. Works.	Yellow Creek, ⅔	129	11	3	7	5	1	93	68	176	30	10	4	5	18	667	222	1292	10 02	.....	7	8	100	25
do	do do	Grant's Hill, ⅓	52	3	.....	2	2	1	29	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	333	21	424	8 14	.....	10	4	.....	12
J. D. Brownlee	Wellsville, do	Wellsville	193	12	23	8	13	3	100	77	30	5	5	5	15	13	1200	1014	2364	16 00	.....	12	15	110	
J. A. Morrow	New Rumley, do	Jefferson, ½	82	2	5	4	5	.....	50	20	30	10	10	2	.....	.....	400	40	582	7 10	.....	12	8	80	5
do	do do	New Market, ½	51	3	1	4	5	.....	21	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	400	83	529	10 40	.....	12	7	80	
W. C. Dunn	Scroggsfield, do	Scroggsfield	175	6	4	14	9	1	235	120	79	16	16	6	20	84	900	565	2042	11 67	.....	12	11	196	272
J. B. Boreland	Richmond, do	Richmond, ½†	96	1	9	5	1	.....	366	48	73	301	1	1	10	35	400	945	2180	22 70	.....	12	3	.....	7
do	do do	Knoxville, ½	60	3	1	4	2	.....	45	35	52	5	5	2	9	6	400	32	591	9 70	.....	12	3		
S. M. Coon	Salineville, do	Salineville, ½	89	9	11	1	12	2	20	10	.....	.....	5	6	6	31	400	521	1199	13 47	.....	12	10	70	

S. M. Coon	Salineville, Ohio.	Mechanicstown ½	80	6	8	5	3	3	21	10	7	5	4	7		12	400		467	6 00		12	5		15
A. J. Allen	Carrolton, do	Carrolton, ½	57	6	7		5		11	8							350	328	697	13 66	50				
do	do do	Connotlon, ½	22			1			8	9							302	17	336	15 29	50				
Correspondent.		*Vacancies.*																							
Geo. McGhee	Sloan's, do	Sloan's—21	*21																						
Without Charge.																									
T. Wilson	Annapolis, do																								
S. W. Clark	Richmond, do																								
T. R. Simpson, M. D—15	Steubenville, do																								
Licentiates, 2.	*Students*, 2.	*Sab. Schools*, 17.	1941	95	99	100	104	14	1684	806	661	413	100	53	115	449	10727	7212	22846	11 77	100	17	143	1454	594
TENNESSEE.																									
A. B. Coleman, S. C.	Fayettev'le, Tenn.	Lebanon	93	4	1	12	7		60	60	40					40	400	10	710	7 63		12	7	110	
Jas. McNeal, S. S.	Marysville do	Big Spring	92		3	8	4									60	500		560	6 08	200	10	8	55	
S. F. Thompson, S. S.	Dickson, do	Dickson	23			2	1			3						9	65	13	90	3 91	400	10	4	25	12
do	do do	Nail's Creek	15		15		1		2	2							40	16	60	4 00		10	4	25	10
J. W. Wait, S. S	Lincoln, do	Hopewell	78	4	33	2	4		14	18						11	340	265	620	7 96	400	12	11	105	31
Correspondents		*Vacancies.*																							
R. S. Montgomery	Palmetto, do	Palmetto	*27																						
Wm. Givens	Nashville, do	1st Nashville—7	*72																						
Without Charge.																									
R. J. Hammond—5	Fayetteville, do																								
Licentiates, 2.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	400	8	52	24	17		76	83	40					120	1345	314	2040	6 80	1000	11	34	310	53
VERMONT.																									
J. Service, S. C.	Barnet Centre, Vt.	Barnet Centre	162	8		11	4	2	36	16		13				160	800	265	1290	7 96		12	10	200	16
A. Y. Houston	Ryegate, do	Ryegate†	90	1	1	8			30							12	900	60	1002	11 13		12	12	100	30
Correspondent.		*Vacancy.*																							
John Taylor	Greensboro, do	Greensboro	*57																			8	8	40	
Without Charge.																									
W. Melvin																									
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 3.	309	9	1	19	4	2	66	16		13				172	1700	365	2292	7 41		11	30	340	46
WABASH.																									
J. H Tedford	Tetersburg, Ind.	Bethsaida	75		2	35	4		30	18						60	750	42	900	12 00		7	12	75	
Gilbert Small, S. C.	Idaville, do	Idaville	220	27	5	17	15	2	150	70		16		3		30	801	130	1200	5 45		12	20	225	35
J. D. Glenn	Elizaville, do	Salem†	100	8	5	20	10	2	73	27	200						650	60	1010	10 01		7	10	90	9
do	do do	Lebanon	24														250	650	900	38 00					
Robert Gray	Murray, do	Murray, ⅓†	36						10	18							200	200	428	11 80	66⅔	12	6	25	
do	do do	Warren, ⅓	17						10	8							125	40	183	10 76	66⅔				
do	do do	Pleasant Valley ⅓	29							3							135	22	160	5 51	66⅔	12	5	38	
John M. Herron, S. S—5	Jefferson, do	Mt. Pleasant	56	5	3	3	5		15	13		3				8	450	700	1189	21 23	250	12	6	70	
Correspondents		*Vacancies.*																							
David McElrath	Montez, do	Camden	15			1			5	4	1	1	1	1			225	12	250	16 66					
Thos. B. Galloway	Pittsburgh, do	Pittsburgh	20														200		200	10 00					
Thos. B. Small	Selma, do	Sharon—11	36			3										36	185		221	6 13		8	4	20	
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 1.	*Sab. Schools*, 7.	628	40	15	79	34	4	293	161	201	20	1	4		134	3971	1856	6641	10 57	450	10	63	543	44

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WESTERN MO.																									
Josiah Thompson	Centerview, Mo.	Thompsonville	73	5	6	2	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	500	80	580	8 00	.....	12	8	60	7
J. F. Graham, S. C.	Kingsville, do	Kingsville	55	2	2	21	3	.....	9	8	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	161	533	9 69	200	12	9	50	
J. K. Martin	Kansas City, do	Kansas City	51	1	13	4	3	.....	6	4	4	.....	.....	5	.....	8	400	135	562	11 01	600	12	15	65	50
J. M. McKitrick	Greenwood, do	Greenwood	102	14	9	3	1	1	30	25	.....	10	.....	3	.....	.....	700	190	958	9 39	75	12	11	120	30
J. C. Steele	Warrensburg, do	Warrensburg	62	2	13	4	2	.....	17	10	8	3	5	5	.....	30	550	41	669	10 79	200	12	6	45	
J. P. Wright	Mulberry, do	Bethel	87	7	6	8	8	.....	10	15	6	4	5	.....	.....	4	400	.....	444	5 10	200	7	10	50	15
W. Wright	Lee's Summit, do	Grand River, ½	35	5	1	6	2	.....	7	7	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	225	30	276	7 88	100	12	6	30	
do	do do	Lee's Summit, ½	25	5	.....	.....	5	.....	6	4	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	75	11	102	4 00	100	12	3	20	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
James Armstrong	Warrensburg. do	Fairview																							
Hugh McAlister.	Osceola, do	Osceola Prairie																							
		Holden—11																							
Without Charge.																									
R. Ross, *Prof*	Greenwood, do																								
J. D. Steele, *Inf*	Warrensburg, do																								
J. C. Bryson	do do																								
M. M. Brown *Prof*	Greenwood, do																								
J. V. A. Wood, M. D.	do do																								
R. G. Thompson—13	Kingsville, do																								
Licentiates, 0.	*Students*, 7.	*Sab. Schools*, 8.	470	41	50	48	31	1	85	73	28	17	10	13	.....	50	3200	648	4124	10 65	1475	11	68	440	102
WESTMORELAND.																									
Oliver Katz	Saltsburg, Pa	Saltsburg, ⅓	46	.....	5	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	250	72	392	8 52	.....	7	5	35	15
do	do do	Apollo, ⅓	73	4	10	2	5	1	5	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	12	270	150	443	6 07	.....	7	4		
do	do do	New Alexandria ⅓	45	.....	.....	1	4	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	10	360	54	446	9 91					
A. H. Elder	McKeesport, do	McKeesport	135	3	21	13	15	.....	73	30	.....	8	5	.....	.....	5	1000	440	1561	11 56	.....	12	6	60	40
John S. Speer, S. C.	Buena Vista, do	Buena Vista. (†)	136	9	7	12	8	3	98	71	55	11	11	4	1	51	975	296	1572	11 55	.....	6	6	80	5
T. F. Boyd	Munroeville, do	Bethel, (All'y.) ½	81	4	5	5	2	.....	51	30	3	3	12	3	2	.....	500	50	654	8 05	.....	6	8	42	
do	do do	Beulah, ½	94	2	.....	16	7	1	50	20	2	2	.....	2	2	10	500	29	617	6 56	.....	6	8	75	10
D. H. Pollock	Elizabeth, do	Bethesda, (†)	176	8	6	11	12	4	128	94	73	.....	14	5	.....	19	1000	2684	4017	22 82	.....	12	9	47	33
John S. Easton, D. D.	Braddock'sFld do	Braddock's Field	99	2	11	4	3	.....	417	49	38	8	7	3	.....	63	800	450	1835	18 54	.....	12	10	100	94
T. P. Patterson	Uniontown, do	Laurel Hill, (†)(2)	102	4	.....	2	1	.....	74	40	26	8	5	1	3	.....	800	1000	1957	20 41	.....	6	12	100	17
S. B. McBride	Parnassus, do	Union	110	16	6	21	5	2	81	60	46	9	9	3	2	26	800	50	1100	10 00	.....	12	10	60	10
D. A. Duff	Cavittsville, do	Stewart's Station	108	8	7	7	16	.....	74	54	42	9	8	3	.....	.....	900	98	1188	11 00	.....	12	7	40	22
W. H. McMaster	Irwin. do	Bethel, West. (3)	195	12	9	25	11	2	148	108	135	32	17	6	3	67	1000	600	2116	10 85	.....	12	25	168	20
J. A. Nelson	Mt. Pleasant, do	Mt. Pleasant, ½	71	4	2	2	.....	.....	50	16	25	21	.....	.....	.....	13	500	478	1103	16 46	.....	12	8	50	72

J. A. Nelson	Mt. Pleasant, Pa.	Madison, ½	83	16	5	7	5	3	30	9						7	500	195	741	11 07		5	5	40		
A. I. Young	Turtle Creek, do	Turtle Creek	195	13	15	17	17	2	200	127	75	17	17	6	20		1500	328	2284	11 71		12	14	100	100	
W. R. Stevenson	West Newton, do	West Newton, ⅔	112	3	2	3	4		82	59	46	18	9	3	2	6	700	50	975	8 70		12	5	40		
do	do do	Sewickley, ½	*48																							
J. Buff. Jackson	Greensburg, do	Greensburg, ½	38	6	10	2		1				3					358	20	381	11 03	85	12	12	56	46	
do	do do	Latrobe, ½	61	6	4		10		7	7		5				3	310	430	762	12 50	90	12	8	45	8	
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
Thomas Pollock	Ligonier, do	Fairfield	112	5	1	6	5		85	62	48	18	9	3		5			230	2 05		6	6	40		
		Donegal	*46																							
J. G. McDowell	New Texas, do	Unity	101	5	4	11	2		78	57	44	9	9	3		17	786	76	1079	10 68		7	10	90		
Robert Crooks	Parnassus, do	Puckety	93	8	7	18	3		71	51	20	14	8	2			400	40	606	6 51		6	6	30	4	
Daniel Alter, M. D.	do do	Logan's Ferry	52	3	3	4	6		28	11		4	3			1	350	397		7 64		6	2	15		
Cornelius Gill	Lucesco, do	Allegheny	66	6	60																					
Without Charge.																										
James Kelso	New Texas, do																									
James Given	Burrell, do																									
James W. McFarland, Inf.	Denver City, Col.																									
Licentiates, 3.	*Students*, 3.	*Sab. Schools*, 25.	2412	141	140	190	143	19	1848	955	678	199	153	47	35	392	14559	7590	26456	11 41	175	9.2	186	1313	496	
WHEELING.																										
J. T. McClure	Wheeling, W. Va.	Wheeling	250	11	9	19	18		80	80	150	20	10	10	30	100	2200	350	3030	12 10		12	30	150		
J. B. Johnston, D. D.	St. Clairsville, O.	St. Clairsville	140	3	8	11	5	1	191	30	378	10	5	10		50	800	206	1680	12		6	12	120	41	
Wm. Grimes, S. C.	Glencoe, do	Belmont	99	4	6	11	5		62	32	92		5				600	150	951	9 60		6	3	45		
W. T. Meloy	Cadiz, do	Cadiz	140	4	4	12			66	40	21	3	3		4	100	1200	250	1686	12		12	12	100	50	
W. G. Waddle	New Athens, do	Cassville, ½	77	3		1	1	1	46	39	6	6	2		40	60	500	55	739	9 53		6	8	50		
do	do do	Unity, ½	74	3	7	3	2		49	35	27	6	6	2		40	500	75	740	10			8	55		
R. G. Campbell	do do	New Athens, ½	51	2	4	2	3		65	16	2	3	5	2	1	20	375	25	515	10 30		12	1	20		
do	do do	Uniontown, ½	32	1	1	2	1		18	13	10	2	2	1	2	22	500	20	489	15 28		5	8	58		
Marcus Ormond	W. Alexander, Pa.	West Alexander	190	22	10	3	11	3									1300	10000	11300	54 47		12	17	121	56	
John R. Slentz	Martin's Ferry, O.	Martin's Ferry	45	3	13	15			37	27	36	4	4	2	4	9	500	73	698	13 92	300	12	7	35	45	
M. M. Marling	Roney's P't, W. Va	Roney's Point	80	5	7	3	6	1	13	10	5			5			700	484	1217	15 20	100	8	7	50		
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																								
G. B. Douglass	Rodgers, W. Va.	Caledonia	39		2	2	1		18	9							268		295	7 50		5	4	15		
Thomas Boyd	Cadwallader, O.	Tippecanoe	44	1		1			8	6									14							
J. C. McCormick	Sewellsville, do	Egypt	36		1	1	1		18	7							144		169	4 69						
A. J. Keyser	Bellaire, do	High Ridge	46	3		6	1		28	25	15						312	28	308	11 33		6	5	48	17	
J. W. Patton	Harrisville, do	Harrisville	120	3		1	6		40	40	20						44		144							
A. Thompson	Fiften, do	Little Muskingum	40	2						8									8							
Mathew Giffen	Businessburg, do	Pleasant Hill	20	5		2																				
A. King	Warenton, do	Warenton	23	4		5				13									13							
James Knox	Beler'sSta., W. Va.	Buchanan Hill	*44																							
Wm. McCallister	Jolly, Ohio.	Brownsville	*21																							
G. Morrison	Franklin, do	Franklin	*24																							
Alex. Dubois	Bellaire, do	Bellaire—23																								
Without Charge.																										
Thomas Love	Shepherdst'n, do																									
Hugh Parks	St. Clairsville, do																									
Joseph McKirahan—12	Glencoe, do																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 2.	*Sab Schools*, 13.	1635	79	72	101	61	6	739	423	765	62	42	32	81	435	9799	11711	24087	12 88	400	8.3	122	867	209	

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WISCONSIN.																									
J. A. Vance	Sussex, Wis.	Lisbon, † (2)	82	9	.....	2	3	.....	35	15	10	.....	5	.....	.....	40	500	200	805	10 00	75	12	13	80	18
do	do do	Ashupin, Rubicon																							
R. G. Wallace	Johnst'n Cen. do	Rock Prairie	100	6	6	6	7	.....	66	50	18	10	10	.....	3	100	800	40	1097	10 97	.....	10	13	75	26
James Dodds, S. C.	Vernon do	Vernon †	82	9	1	4	4	1	35	18	10	12	2	4	6	16	700	100	903	11 01	.....	12	9	70	11
J. H. Niblock	Oshkosh, do	Oshkosh	77	6	.....	2	7	.....	50	40	.....	5	.....	.....	5	5	450	615	1170	15 20	400	12	13	80	15
Hugh Brown	Dekora, do	Caledonia, Dekora	*75																						
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Wm. Reed	Jeddo, do	Buffalo	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	100	.....	112	4 50	50	12	5	40	
Samuel Wilson	Kansasville, do	Yorkville	62	3	.....	7	2	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	345	365	736	11 87					
W. Anderson	Waupaca, do	Waupaca	22	4	.....	2	2																		
Wm. Richie	Little Wolf, do	Little Wolf	14																						
Wm. F. Thompson	Verona, do	Verona †—8	*69																						
Without Charge.																									
Wm. Smith, *Inf.*	Jeddo, do																								
D. McLachlan—7																									
Licentiates, 1.	*Students*, 0.	*Sab. Schools*, 6.	608	37	7	24	25		206	133	38	27	17	6	14	167	2895	1320	4823	11 24	525	12	53	345	70
XENIA.																									
W. G. Moorehead	Xenia, Ohio.	First Xenia†	270	12	7	.....	6	2	198	165	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	72	2000	411	3096	11 46	.....	12	14	110	120
J. G. Garson	do do	Second Xenia	218	7	9	25	2	.....	237	159	122	25	25	7	46	127	1500	225	2673	12 26	.....	12	12	150	65
Joseph Clokey, D.D.	Springfield, do	Springfield.	132	3	5	14	.....	.....	130	75	56	10	39	5	.....	160	956	209	1640	12 14	.....	12	14	127	115
J. B. McMichael	Bellbrook, do	Sugar Creek† (2)	124	5	4	9	7	2	121	71	54	11	11	4	.....	301	1226	225	2164	17 45	.....	12	20	125	40
W. A. Robb	Jamestown,, do	Ceasar's Creek,	71	4	3	8	3	.....	60	40	15	90	10	3	5	140	600	.....	963	13 56	.....	12	10	100	20
do	do do	Reesville	24	3	.....	.....	2	2	25	10	5	5	2	1	.....	10	125	.....	183	7 62					
W. A. Campbell, S. C.	Clifton, do	Clifton (3),	131	5	3	14	6	2	155	110	46	166	18	4	11	198	1060	40	1808	13 80	.....	12	17	206	45
Correspondents.		*Vacancies.*																							
Paul Kerr	Cedarville, do	Cedarville	155	2	.....	3	3	.....	100	69	25	25	25	5	20	50	1000	200	1510	9 74	.....	12	23	155	140
W. W. Johnston	Reynoldsburg, do	Reynoldsburg	115	1	.....	21	2	.....	105	40	15	10	8	8	10	95	800	126	1217	9 01	.....	9	8	75	37
J. C. McMillin	Xenia, do	Third Xenia	100	5	5	11	2	1	149	54	42	8	9	3	57	130	1200	550	2202	22 02	.....	12	14	70	100
Wm. Collins	do do	Massie's Creek-11	*57	2	1	5	5	.....	70	35	20	8	10	3	3	27	600	50	846	14 15	.....	12	9	40	
Licentiates, 2.	*Students*, 4.	*Sab. Schools*, 13.	1397	49	37	110	38	9	1350	819	400	608	157	43	152	1310	11067	2036	18302	13 19	.....	11	141	1158	602

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STATISTICS OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Name of Stations	Established.	Missionaries & Assistants. Foreign. Ministers.	Other Males.	Females.	Total.	Native. Ordained.	Licensed.	Other Teach's and Helpers.	Total Laborers.	Churches. When Organ'd.	Communicants.	Av. Sabbath Attendance.	Increase Profession.	Certificate.	Decrease. Death.	Removal.	Suspension.	Baptisms Adult.	Infant.	Pupils under Instruction. In Sab. School.	In Day School.	In Boarding Sch.	In Theo. School	Total. Males.	Females.	Total.	Property and Funds. Contributions of Natives.	Tuition Fees.	Building Funds on hand.	Val. of Property.	Received from other sources.	Expenses, excluding salaries of Foreign Mission.
SYRIA.																																
Damascus	1843	2	.....	2	4	.....	.....	7	11	.....	27	65	5	.....	1	2	.....	.....	2	60	80	11	.....			91						
Nebk	1856	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	6	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	30	.....	.....			30						
Deir Atiyeh	1858	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	8	15	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....			35						
Yabrud	1859	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	40	.....	.....			40						
Rasheiyah	1863	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3	.....	.....	11	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	60	.....	.....			60						
Ain Esh Sharah	1863	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	7	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....			25						
Ma'arra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1												Not Reported.	Not Reported.							
Bludan	1872	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....			25						
Total	.....	2	.....	2	4	.....	.....	16	20	.....	60	160	9	.....	1	2	.....	.....	5	60	295	11	.....			306						
EGYPT.																																
Alexandria	1857	2	.....	3	5	.....	.....	5	10	1868	32	47	3	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	20	260	.....	1	133	127	260	30	344	.....	20 000	272	4180
Monsura	1866	1	.....	2	3	1	.....	2	5	.....	10	27	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	23	148	.....	.....	102	46	148	24	62	.....	100	30	1392
Cairo	1855	2	.....	3	5	.....	1	15	21	1863	58	114	11	1	.....	2	1	3	7	24	329	.....	1	177	152	329	1047	821	1295	55 000	870	
Medeenet, } Fayoum	1866	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	.....	.....	14	15	29	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	432
Sinoris, } Fayoum	1868	1	.....	2	2	.....	.....	7	9	.....	45	100	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	38	54	.....	.....	32	22	54	241	20	.....	700	.....	565
Osiout	1865	1	1	3	5	.....	.....	12	17	1870	75	100	8	2	1	2	1	1	9	70	137	.....	5	102	35	137	490	.....	.....	.....	.....	2336
Moteah	1869	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3	1871	86	120	44	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	68	.....	1	60	8	68	117	.....	.....	.....	.....	56
Nakhaleh	1869	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	3	4	1871	78	145	9	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	120	90	.....	.....	110	10	120	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	218
Koos	1866	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3	.....	47	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	25	.....	.....	15?	?10	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120
Total	.....	7	1	12	20	2	1	52	74	.....	431	703	91	8	1	14	2	4	31	405	1140	.....	9	740	430	1170	3159	1247	1295	75 850	11 72	9299
INDIA.																																
Sealkote	1858	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	11	12	.....	39	250	4	6	1	9	.....	3	7	.....	301	.....	.....	281	20	301	36					
Zafferwal	1866	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	9	30	2	.....	1	4	.....	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6					
Gujranwalla	1863	2	1	.....	3	1	.....	16	20	.....	20	400	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	.....	759	.....	3	459	300	759	17	106	.....	.....	595	
Gurdaspore	1872	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	3	10																				
Total	.....	3	1	.....	4	1	.....	30	45	.....	71	690	6	6	2	14	.....	4	12	.....	1060	.....	3	740	320	1060	59	106	.....	.....	595	
CHINA.																																
Canton	1859	1	.....	1	2																											
Total	.....	13	2	15	30	3	1	98	139	.....	562	1553	106	14	4	30	2	8	48	465	2495	11	12	1480	750	2536	3218	1353	1295	85 850	17 67	92 99

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Synods & Presbyteries.	Pastors.	Without Charge.	Total Ministers.	Licentiates.	Students.	Congregations.	Unorganized Stations.	Communicants.	Increase. Profession.	Increase. Certificate.	Decrease.	Baptisms Infant.	Baptisms Adult.	Contributions. Foreign Missions.	Home Missions.	Church Extension.	Education.	Publication.	Assembly's Fund.	Aged Ministers' Fund.	General Contributions.	Salary by Congregat'n.	Congregational Expenses.	Total Am't.	Average per Member.	Salary by Assembly.	Av. Salary of Pastor.	Sabbath Schools. Number of Schools.	Months Open.	Officers and Teachers.	Number of Scholars.	Contribut'ns.
Synod of N. York																																
Albany	5	2	7	1	...	8	.....	774	23	17	44	24	4	357	331	230	367	50	8	22	1411	6250	2533	11659	16 23	200	1010	8	10½	81	535	282
Argyle	10	6	16	...	...	11	.....	2117	56	26	126	61	5	1212	860	400	530	76	41	36	1820	9558	8506	23374	21 35	.....	1236	10	11	115	913	338
Boston	6	.....	6	1	...	7	.....	772	82	94	90	71	9	139	87	65	10	.....	.....	10	381	6350	5795	12838	1 06	650	807	7	12	76	485	329
Caledonia	10	2	12	...	...	13	1	1683	62	27	96	73	6	652	451	400	93	66	65	71	1300	9492	*1876	14577	9 35	300	1037	13	10	146	1123	444
Delaware	9	4	13	4	...	14	.....	1744	67	44	103	87	15	949	310	74	609	72	62	5	2603	11821	2597	19278	11 05	324	972	14	9	69	1357	261
1st New York	6	3	9	4	1	9	.....	1129	178	123	80	66	5	711	711	602	4348	55	7	33	2334	11021	14664	33997	30 11	700	1591	10	10.6	153	1024	940
2d New York	8	.....	8	...	...	9	.....	1587	119	89	113	147	.....	547	398	576	137	51	23	111	2437	11900	5290	21490	15 24	200	1728	9	12	118	897	927
Philadelphia	12	3	15	...	...	15	.....	3225	254	214	191	191	12	2103	1115	1666	250	149	63	103	11230	22137	24653	63875	24 67	500	1726	15	12	316	2728	2754
Stamford	4	1	5	...	...	6	1	553	12	12	14	42	.....	297	86	20	10	5	5	5	133	2600	2612	5773	10 44	.....	550	8	9½	41	282	55
Vermont—10	2	1	3	...	...	3	.....	309	9	1	19	4	2	66	16	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	172	1700	365	2292	7 41	.....	850	3	11	30	340	46
Totals	72	22	94	10	1	95	2	13893	862	647	876	766	58	7033	4365	4033	6367	524	274	396	23821	92829	68991	209153	12 90	2874	1135	97	10½	1145	9684	6376
Synod of Pittsb'g																																
Big Spring	7	3	10	1	...	12	.....	1156	46	19	53	49	8	682	521	328	72	45	30	74	145	6484	3559	11940	10 24	125	912	10	9	119	617	128
Brookville	5	.....	5	...	...	11	.....	604	34	16	12	30	7	78	56	5	4	3	24	.....	244	3450	7600	11686	22 13	500	985	6	12	50	390	15
Chartiers	14	1	15	4	3	16	.....	2267	84	100	191	106	17	2116	1301	920	229	198	78	180	631	15109	5837	26600	11 73	.....	960	16	6¾	186	1414	503
Conemaugh	7	3	10	...	...	19	.....	1887	114	55	92	107	9	953	570	748	139	65	31	61	354	6700	1712	10914	7 00	900	957	11	11	106	742	339
Frankfort	10	.....	10	2	3	15	.....	1773	113	42	93	100	19	1212	769	382	100	81	40	43	521	7900	785	11753	7 26	200	877	15	8	123	1228	186
Monongahela	18	6	24	2	1	20	.....	4027	209	238	268	277	10	3018	1683	1369	202	160	55	105	11634	20875	26463	66564	16 53	1100	1490	14	10	285	2459	2226
Westmoreland--7	14	3	17	3	3	26	1	2412	141	140	190	143	19	1848	955	678	199	153	47	35	392	14559	7590	26456	11 41	175	956	25	9.2	186	1313	496
Totals	75	16	91	12	10	119	1	14126	741	610	896	812	89	9907	6856	4430	945	705	305	498	13921	75077	53546	165913	16 92	3000	1075	97	9¼	1055	8163	3793
1st Synod of the West.																																
Allegheny	14	4	18	...	2	21	1	3723	182	356	252	221	7	3302	2029	1499	315	252	107	112	6312	21689	29428	65045	19 44	875	1549	22	10.3	302	2501	2437
Beaver Valley	9	6	15	2	..	23	2	2269	86	174	265	112	8	1192	782	375	74	76	72	43	383	12278	7326	22601	10 32	300	854	17	10	166	1374	554
Butler	16	1	17	2	1	30	.....	3254	124	130	162	173	9	1693	1072	597	176	111	70	105	858	17230	3411	23349	9 71	400	828	29	9.8	199	1559	498
Cleveland	5	1	6	1	...	8	.....	641	27	55	52	10	1	371	288	260	62	39	14	20	322	5273	1623	8272	14 14	.....	894	6	11	52	400	167
Detroit	6	4	10	...	...	16	2	765	33	17	33	44	.....	192	177	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	559	4329	4379	8331	10 88	606	796	6	11	64	499	289
Lake	11	2	13	1	1	22	.....	2017	70	113	141	105	12	1002	692	2505	127	120	57	51	278	13700	14182	32714	16 21	200	982	23	11.3	178	1374	466
Mercer—7	9	5	14	4	...	15	1	1921	50	68	73	59	11	1118	622	146	59	59	28	17	468	8772	7687	17632	9 86	.....	986	14	11	152	1110	635
Totals	70	23	93	10	5	135	6	14590	572	913	978	724	48	8870	5662	5089	813	657	348	348	9181	83271	68036	177944	12 13	2381	1059	117	10	1113	8817	5046
Synod of Ohio.																																
Mansfield	9	1	10	1	3	18	.....	1375	65	96	81	38	9	1041	673	206	149	60	28	16	464	7519	1683	12840	9 80	.....	806	11	9	94	882	213
Muskingum	14	2	16	1	3	24	.....	2378	90	78	84	95	11	736	446	128	64	73	23	13	2158	10616	4515	18772	8 57	100	653	13	6	112	1050	513
Steubenville	12	3	15	2	2	21	.....	1941	95	99	100	104	14	1684	806	661	413	100	53	115	449	10727	7212	22846	11 77	100	894	17	11	143	1454	594
Wheeling—4	9	3	12	...	2	23	.....	1635	79	72	101	61	6	739	423	765	62	42	32	81	435	9799	11711	24087	12 88	400	1030	13	8.5	122	876	202
Totals	44	9	53	4	10	86	.....	7329	394	345	366	298	40	4104	2348	1760	688	265	136	225	3406	38661	25121	78545	10 52	600	834	54	9	460	4126	1486

Second Synod.																																	
Chillicothe	3	3	6	..	...	9	.....	1029	28	33	49	46	7	239	155	78	80	19	4	3	228	3623	284	4713	4 81	.....	875	6	9	80	719	176
Indiana	7	.....	7	1	1	9	.....	899	31	43	32	27	6	420	311	328	42	93	4	6	443	6800	2969	11450	12 73	700	937	9	9	71	448	240
Michigan	4	.....	4	...	1	8	.....	427	10	1	23	51	1	216	123	44	24	7	4	10	365	2377	90	3260	8 05	250	519	4	9	30	360	88
1st Ohio	7	1	8	1	1	11	.....	1200	29	33	109	35	1	606	383	181	170	98	18	29	965	8303	1740	12493	13 01	150	853	11	10	93	858	343
Princeton,	7	4	11	...	1	13	.....	1174	79	21	37	73	14	243	194	146	74	31	25	10	383	4747	4111	9964	10 15	250	627	11	9	90	723	162
Sidney	9	1	10	...	...	19	.....	1393	49	35	60	38	8	506	318	90	54	39	28	12	637	8268	776	10728	8 30	250	796	14	9	131	980	340
Tennessee	3	2	5	2	...	7	.....	400	8	52	24	17	.....	76	83	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	1345	314	2040	6 80	1000	600	6	11	34	310	53
Wabash	5	...	5	...	1	11	.....	628	40	15	79	34	4	293	161	201	20	1	4	..	134	3971	1856	6641	10 57	450	792	7	10	63	543	44
Xenia, 9	6	10	16	2	4	11	.....	1397	43	37	110	38	9	1350	819	400	608	157	43	152	1310	11067	2036	18302	13 19	.....	1157	13	11	141	1158	602
Totals,	51	21	72	6	9	98	.....	8547	323	270	523	359	50	3873	2464	1468	1072	445	130	222	4585	50501	14176	79591	8 83	3050	840	81	9½	733	5999	2048
Synod of Ill.																																	
Bloomington	7	4	11	...	1	14	.....	855	42	50	46	68	4	297	208	51	227	22	16	3	422	5990	2948	10184	12 43	625	768	8	9¾	69	475	222
Chicago	5	.....	5	...	...	8	.....	638	56	49	50	35	1	316	201	127	246	29	21	7	242	5315	1637	8211	12 87	750	706	6	10	70	502	85
Minnesota	6	.....	6	...	...	6	.....	261	7	6	19	20	1	24	51	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	1305	215	1657	5 32	1400	549	5	6	21	171	1
Monmouth	11	11	22	6	5	21	.....	1704	74	123	193	92	5	891	604	420	88	76	21	15	6400	10660	2230	18345	11 46	375	1057	20	10	158	1236	397
Rock Island	10	2	12	1	...	11	.....	1002	51	74	104	55	5	673	528	308	74	67	24	.....	2589	7282	.....	12641	12 61	1000	818	11	12	106	913	342
Southern Ill.	7	4	11	1	...	19	.....	1768	124	92	177	147	11	305	188	82	740	10	38	2	1964	10085	7113	20527	12 59	150	712	17	10	185	1323	333
Wisconsin—7	6	1	7	1	...	8	2	608	37	77	24	25	1	206	133	38	27	17	6	14	167	2895	1320	4823	11 24	525	808	6	12	53	345	70
Totals,	52	22	74	9	6	87	2	6836	391	401	613	442	28	2712	1716	1036	1402	221	126	41	11795	43532	15463	76388	11 17	4825	814	63	9.5	662	4965	1450
Synod of Iowa.																																	
Cedar Rapids	2	6	8	...	...	10	.....	536	35	14	19	24	2	96	73	88	171	13	5	3	113	3598	778	4937	13 30	625	725	8	10	52	263	93
DesMoines	13	3	16	...	2	31	.....	1689	81	101	84	78	13	238	241	267	243	20	14	7	361	9980	7540	18890	16 70	937	750	20	9.3	166	1136	249
Keokuk	12	3	15	...	...	25	1	1924	98	84	105	93	10	787	474	465	45	35	19	23	789	11980	2296	16922	8 77	450	783	16	11	170	1296	407
LeClaire	6	1	7	...	...	13	.....	678	31	16	54	51	7	210	156	166	233	34	12	13	216	3821	579	5440	10 00	287	531	10	9	78	488	94
Nebraska—5	9	3	12	1	..	12	2	569	18	78	66	57	3	247	241	334	52	6	4	2	122	2872	2398	7131	11 58	1750	578	10	9.2	79	670	119
Totals,	42	16	58	1	2	91	3	5396	263	293	328	303	35	1578	1185	1320	744	108	54	48	1601	32251	13591	53320	9 88	3049	657	64	9	545	3853	962
Synod of Kan.																																	
Garnett	8	5	13	2	...	23	11	819	38	119	49	51	6	119	61	35	539	8	3	3	352	4225	1929	7274	9 90	2400	564	13	96	109	754	387
Kansas	6	3	9	...	...	8	4	384	9	39	44	21	2	128	86	76	12	13	11	8	160	2929	3927	7350	19 14	1925	712	7	9½	51	65	136
West. Missouri 3	7	6	13	...	...	11	1	470	41	50	48	31	1	85	73	28	17	10	13	.....	50	3200	648	4124	10 65	1475	667	8	11	68	440	202
Totals,	21	14	35	2	...	42	16	1671	88	108	131	103	9	332	220	139	568	21	27	11	562	10354	6504	18748	11 22	5800	648	28	10.5	228	1259	625
Mission'y Presb'																																	
Egypt	1	8	9	1		5	4	431	92	8	17	4	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1918	.....	.....	1918	.....	.....	...	7	12	.....	405	
Oregon	3	3	6	...	...	8	.....	278	20	24	16	19	2	66	80	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	69	1793	647	2702	13 37	500	495	4	10	7	46	6
San Francisco	2	.....	2	...	...	3	...	284	12	27	12	19	1	23	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2850	5750	8643	30 50	600	1250	3	12	24	190	167
Sealkote—4	....	4	4	...	1	3	1	71	6	6	14	12	4	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50								
Totals	6	15	21	1	1	19	5	1064	130	65	59	54	38	139	100	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	1987	4643	6397	13313	21 96	1100	1745	14	11⅓	31	641	173
Tot. for Ch'.—56	433	158	591	53	44	772	35	73452	3763	3652	4770	3861	395	38648	24916	19303	12599	2946	1400	1789	70859	431119	267825	872915	11 48	26579	944	651	9.6	5972	47507	21959

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Synod of New York.	10	72	22	94	10	1	95	2	13893	862	647	876	766	58	7033	4365	4033	6367	524	274	396	23821	92829	68991	207153	12 90	2874	1135	97	10½	1145	9684	6376
Synod of Pittsburgh.	7	75	16	91	12	10	119	1	14126	740	610	896	812	89	9907	6856	4430	945	705	305	498	13921	75077	53546	165913	16 92	3000	1075	97	9¼	1055	8163	3793
1st Sy'd of the West.	7	79	23	93	10	5	135	6	14590	572	913	978	724	48	8870	5662	5089	813	657	348	348	9181	83271	68036	177944	12 13	2381	1059	117	10	1113	8817	5046
Synod of Ohio.....	4	44	9	53	4	10	86	.....	7329	394	345	366	298	40	4204	2348	1760	688	265	136	225	3406	38661	21121	78545	10 52	600	834	54	9	460	4126	1486
Second Synod.	9	51	21	72	6	9	98	.....	8547	323	270	523	359	50	3873	2464	1468	1072	445	130	222	4585	50501	14176	79591	8 83	3050	840	81	9½	733	5999	2048
Synod of Illinois.....	7	52	22	74	9	6	87	2	6836	391	401	613	442	28	2712	1716	1036	1402	221	126	41	11795	43532	15463	76388	11 17	4825	814	63	9½	662	4965	1450
Synod of Iowa.....	5	42	16	58	1	2	91	3	5396	263	293	328	303	35	1578	1185	1320	744	108	54	48	1601	32251	13591	53320	9 88	3049	657	64	9	545	3853	962
Synod of Kansas.....	3	21	14	35	2	.....	42	16	1671	88	108	131	103	9	332	220	139	568	21	27	11	562	10354	6504	18748	11 22	5800	648	28	10½	228	1259	625
Pres. not in Synods.	4	6	15	21	1	1	19	5	1064	130	65	59	54	38	139	100	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	1987	4643	6397	13313	21 96	1100	1745	14	11⅓	31	641	173
Total.....	56	433	158	591	53	44	772	35	73452	3763	3652	4770	3861	395	38648	24916	19303	12599	2946	1400	1789	70859	431119	267825	872915	11 48	26579	944	651	9.6	5972	47507	21959

GENERAL SUMMARIES FOR YEARS 1859—1873.

1859.....	.....	306	102	408	56	.....	634	.....	55547	4189	1656	2650	3458	294	8574	8682	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5732	.....	.....	22989								
1860.....	43	334	113	447	51	35	674	.....	58781	3778	3040	3819	4340	375	17284	11345	2301	1300	1392	736	.....	59391	159401	.....	253150	4 31	7612						
1861.....	43	335	109	444	51	33	669	.....	57513	3377	2517	3016	3816	333	13657	10921	2916	1547	1338	497	.....	77598	169978	.....	303377	5 27	8285						
1862.....	44	349	113	462	73	40	671	.....	57514	3001	2194	3048	3902	301	14717	11859	2298	1876	1102	458	.....	56951	179229	.....	268179	4 67	9600						
1863.....	45	361	119	480	71	49	682	.....	54758	2787	2093	3215	3752	237	16039	12085	3902	1420	1225	442	.....	91564	183943	.....	305082	5 57	8714						
1864.....	46	371	142	513	47	54	698	.....	57795	2610	2541	4394	3698	267	28611	15495	4887	1538	1564	595	.....	146649	207859	.....	398075	6 91	12404						
1865.....	49	384	132	516	50	46	659	.....	58652	2739	2953	4449	3547	283	42604	19817	11803	1774	2375	685	.....	179590	243777	.....	504616	8 61	16936						
1866.....	50	387	152	539	48	36	686	.....	58988	4061	3540	4781	3791	475	42276	36306	9636	3482	3075	957	2233	225354	268229	.....	589052	9 02	19070	.....	.....	.....	3233	17976	
1867.....	52	380	161	541	53	21	717	.....	63489	4276	3719	4489	3640	471	45730	44791	9398	3210	2579	931	1620	246738	287113	.....	634886	10 00	23538	.....	.....	.....	4477	27884	
1868.....	54	401	149	541	53	40	735	.....	65612	4003	4000	4735	4122	493	48902	41392	12944	2055	2255	1338	1262	279670	318374	.....	729639	11 12	27974	.....	.....	.....	5234	32737	
1869.....	54	401	164	565	43	45	726	44	65624	4121	3998	5059	4171	504	46020	44330	11035	8568	2577	991	1134	73725	367668	241983	783682	11 38	20610	.....	567	9.0	6068	43806	19133
1870.....	56	398	155	553	36	55	729	58	69807	4182	3935	4860	3947	551	40079	36065	14806	6080	2089	1605	1305	76176	384816	264155	812553	11 64	2373	787	578	9.4	6820	43227	16269
1871.....	55	415	151	566	58	54	731	61	71804	3895	4093	4729	4220	430	35832	33374	20505	13076	2794	1742	1233	77261	359497	241792	800001	11 14	24781	836	601	9.3	5851	46765	19300
1872.....	55	429	155	584	61	63	755	41	72896	3911	3658	4514	3936	439	38840	31008	14337	8569	5125	1546	1209	75453	416656	236451	828276	11 09	25436	898	593	9.8	5999	53288	21421
1873.....	56	433	158	591	53	44	772	35	73452	3763	3652	4770	3861	395	38648	24916	19303	12599	2946	1400	1789	70859	431119	267825	872915	11 48	26579	944	651	9.6	5972	47507	21959

N. B. The Contributions for Freedmen's Missions for 1866—1872 are included in Home Missions.

CONDENSED STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY, 1873.

Synods	8
Presbyteries organized	1
Total Presbyteries	56
MINISTERS.	
Ministers without charge	158
Pastors and Stated Supplies	433
Total Ministers	591
Ministers deceased	11
Received from other churches,	5
Dismissed to other churches	4
Ministers ordained	34
Ministers installed	65
Ministers released	59
Licentiates	53
Licensures	30
CONGREGATIONS.	
Congregations with Pastors or Stated Supplies	499
Congregations vacant	273
Total Congregations	772
Congregations organized during the year	22
Congregations received	1
Congregations dissolved or dismissed	9
Mission Stations not organized	35
New Stations during the year,	13
Houses of worship erected	22
Total cost of houses reported	$133,050
Average cost of houses erected	$6,048
Congregations having no house	95
Parsonages	36
MEMBERSHIP.	
Members received on Profession	3,763
Members received on Certificate	3,652
Deaths and removals	4,770
Total Members reported	73,452
Adults baptized	395
Infants baptized	3,861
SABBATH SCHOOLS.	
Schools open whole year	395
Schools open part of the year	256
Total Schools reported	651
Average months open,	9.6
Officers and Teachers	5,972
Number of Scholars reported,	47,507
Contributions by S. Schools	$21,959
HOME MISSIONS.	
Churches and Stations receiving aid 1872-3	180
Ministers and Licentiates under appointment	88
Appropriations for 1873-4	$38,100
FOREIGN MISSIONS.	
General Missions	4
Mission Stations	21
Missionaries in active service,	37
Churches	18
Communicants	563
Mission Schools	21
Pupils in Schools	2,322
Native Helpers	97
Native ordained ministers	3
Native Licentiates	1
Preparing for the ministry	12
Appropriations for the year	54,250
Expenses for past year	$55,164
INSTITUTIONS.	
Theological Seminaries	5
Students in attendance	98
Colleges	2
Total Students in attendance	521
CONTRIBUTIONS.	
Salaries of Pastors and S.S.	$431,119
Congregational expenses	268,439
Am't contributed to Church	101,601
General Contributions	70,859
Legacies	9,308
Total Contributions	881,326
Average Contributions per member	11,48
Average salary of Pastors	944,38
PROPERTY.	
Seminaries	$225,000
Colleges	240,000
Churches (estimated)	5,000,000
Parsonages	198,000
Total	$5,663,000

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MINISTERS DECEASED.

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MINISTERS ORDAINED.

NAME.	PRESBYTERY.	DATE.
J. M. Achison	Rock Island	February 18, 1873.
J. A. Burns	Des Moines	September 20, 1872.
J. C. Campbell	New Philadelphia	November 18, 1872.
J. P. Davis	Frankfort	September 3, 1872.
Daniel Dodds	Butler	June 4, 1873.
J. M. French	Rock Island	June 27, 1872.
Russell Graham	Monmouth	April 29, 1873.
J. L. Grove	Butler	October 23, 1873.
W. S. Harper	Muskingum	August 21, 1872.
C. B. Hatch	Monongahela	June 25, 1872.
J. D. Irons	Monongahela	May 13, 1873.
J. B. Jackson	Westmoreland	April 8, 1873.
W. H. Knox	Monongahela	May 21, 1873.
Andrew McBride	Indiana	April 9, 1873.
George McCormick	Butler	October 22, 1872.
D. K. McKnight	Frankfort	July 9, 1872.
Alex. McLachlin	Chartiers	April 15, 1873.
Donald McLachlin	Wisconsin	October 10, 1872.
E. S. McMichael	Des Moines	November 19, 1872.
W. F. Miller	Mansfield	September 17, 1872.
C. H. Mitchell	Chicago	June 11, 1872.
J. H. Morrow	Detroit	July 2, 1872.
D. F. Mustard	Frankfort	October 8, 1872.
W. G. Nevin	Butler	June 5, 1872.
J. F. Patterson, M. D.	Philadelphia	September 27, 1872.
James H. Turnbull	Cedar Rapids	June 19, 1872.
T. B Turnbull	Rock Island	April 16, 1873.
John Taylor	Minnesota	June 12, 1872.
H. F. Wallace	Des Moines	June 12, 1872.
R. E. Wilkin	Keokuk	August 21, 1872.
John A. Wilson	Beaver Valley	September 17, 1872.
J. T. Wright	Allegheny	June 11, 1872.
R. C. Wyatt	Des Moines	September 20, 1872.
R. T. Wylie—34	2d New York	May 28, 1872.

MINISTERS INSTALLED.

NAME.	DATE.	CONGREGATION.	PRESBYTERY.
J. M. Achison	February 18, 1873	Cedar Creek	Rock Island.
A. J. Allen	December 3, 1873	Carrolton and Connotton	Steubenvllle.
E. A. Brownlee	July 17, 1872	Rome	Minnesota.
J. A. Burns	September 20, 1872	North English	Des Moines.
J. C. Campbell	November 18, 1872	6th Philadelphia	Philadelphia.
R. S. Campbell	November 11, 1872	Homestead	Rock Island.
J. P. Davis	September 3, 1872	Hookstown and Tumlinson's Run	Frankfort.
David Dodds	June 24, 1872	E. Brady and Fairview	Butler.
J. C. Evans	June 25, 1872	Remington, Oakland and Rehoboth	Beaver Valley.
J. M. French	June 27, 1872	North Henderson	Rock Island.
Wm. Galbraith	September 3, 1872	Portersville	Butler.
W. J. Gillespie	October 18, 1872	Sparta	Southern Illinois.
Russell Graham	April 29, 1873	Biggsville	Monmouth.
J. C. Greer	January 28, 1873	Lumber City	Brookville.
Robert Gray	April 9, 1873	Murray and Con	Wabash.
J. L. Grove	October 23, 1872	Worthington; Rich Hill	Butler.
Robert Harkness	January 21, 1873	Whitinsville	Boston.
W. S. Harper	August 21, 1872	Barlow	Muskingum.
C. B. Hatch	June 25, 1872	Mifflin and Jefferson	Monongahela.
James M. Henderson	June 11, 1872	Elkhorn	S. Illinois.
A. Y. Houston	February 13, 1873	Ryegate	Vermont.
J. D. Irons	May 13, 1873	Verona	Monongahela.
J. B. Jackson	April 8, 1873	Greensburg and Latrobe	Westmoreland.
J. M. Johnson	January 28, 1873	Central, Allegheny	Allegheny.
D. S. Kennedy	December 10, 1872	Sewickley	Allegheny.
W. H. Knox	April 21, 1873	10th Pittsburgh	Monongahela.
William Lorimer	November —, 1872	Olena	Monmouth.
M. M. Marling	December 10, 1872	Roney's Point	Wheeling.

C. H. Mitchell	June 11, 1872	Camp Creek	Chicago.
W. F. Miller	September 17, 1872	Savannah	Mansfield.
T. G. Morrow	October 12, 1872	Wenona	Bloomington.
D. F. Mustard	October 8, 1872	New Bethlehem	Frankfort.
Andrew McBride	April 9, 1873	Caledonia	Indiana.
J. V. McClanahan	May —, 1873	Davenport	Rock Island.
Geo. McCormick	October 22, 1872	Butler	Butler.
H. A. McDonald	December 3, 1872	Cleveland	Cleveland.
D. K. McKnight	July 9, 1872	Clinton, Mt. Gilead	Frankfort.
Alex. McLachlin	April 15, 1873	S. Buffalo	Chartiers.
E. S. McMichael	November 19, 1872	Newton, Palo Alto	Des Moines.
W. H. McMillan	April 8, 1873	2d Allegheny	Allegheny.
W. G. Nevin	June 5, 1872	Lawrenceburg	Butler.
Marcus Ormond	June 11, 1872	West Alexander	Wheeling.
David Paul, D.D.	June 10, 1872	East Union	Muskingum.
R. M. Patterson	February 6, 1873	Peter's Creek	Chartiers.
A. R. Rankin	April 28, 1873	Melroy, Vienna	Indiana.
Wm. M. Richie	October 27, 1872	Paxton	Bloomington.
J. A. Reynolds	October 15, 1872	Rock Island	Rock Island.
G. A. B. Robinson	May 19, 1873	Oxford	Philadelphia.
W. J. Robinson	April 9, 1873	1st Allegheny	Allegheny.
James Rogers	July 16, 1872	Eden Prairie and Glendale	Minnesota.
J. C. Steele	May 14, 1872	Warrensburg	Western Missouri.
W. R. Stevenson	December 17, 1872	W. Newton, Sewickly	Westmoreland.
John Taylor	July 20, 1872	Argyle	Minnesota.
M. S. Telford	February 6, 1873	Beaver Run	Brookville.
James H. Turnbull	June 18, 1872	Tranquility	Cedar Rapids.
T. B Turnbull	April 16, 1873	Aledo	Rock Island.
D. M. Ure	October —, 1872	2d Monmouth	Monmouth.
N. E. Wade	May 15, 1873	Red Oak	Nebraska.
H. F. Wallace	June 12, 1872	Knoxville	Des Moines.
R. E. Wilkin	September 10, 1872	Sandusky and Con	Keokuk.
John A. Wilson	September 17, 1872	Beaver	Beaver Valley.
T. W. Winter	October 4, 1872	Adamsville	Lake.
J. T. Wright	June 11, 1872	Glade Run	Allegheny.
R. T. Wylie	May 28, 1872	1st Brooklyn	2d New York.
A. I. Young—65	September 3, 1872	Turtle Creek	Westmoreland.

MINISTERS RELEASED.

NAME.	DATE.	CONEREGATION.	PRESBYTERY.
J. Y. Ashenhust	September 17th 1872.	Haysville	Mansfield.
J. W. Bain	April 15, 1873	New Castle	Beaver Valley.
J. R. Bell	April 1, 1873	Fountain Green, Elvaston	Monmouth.
J. M. Baugh	April 2, 1873	Chicago	Chicago.
W. C. Black	April 15, 1873	M'Varnum	Butler.
G. C. Brown	May 6, 1873	Georgetown, Mt. Vernon	Lake.
D. G. Bruce	June 26, 1873	Lower Chanceford	Big Spring.
Wm. Bruce	May 6, 1873	Baltimore	Philadelphia.
D. D. Christy	February 18, 1873	Mountville	Beaver Valley.
G. M. Clark	July 17, 1872	East Boston	Boston.
Joseph L. Clark	June 10, 1872	Broadalbin	Albany.
A. W. Clokey	July 1, 1872	Aledo	Rock Island.
J. W. Clokey	June 25, 1872	Richmond	1st Ohio.
H. W. Crabbe	September 4, 1872	St. Louis	S. Illinois.
N. K. Crowe	July 30, 1872	Walton	Delaware
David Dodds	April 15, 1873	East Brady	Butler.
J. C. Evans	April 15, 1873	Rehoboth	Beaver Valley.
W. A. Findley	December 19, 1872	Chetopa	Garnett.
J. R. Finney	April 16, 1873	Prosperity	S. Illinois.
James Given	April 8, 1873	Puckety & Logan's Ferry	Westmoreland.
A. J. Graham	November 19, 1872	St. Charles	Des Moines.
G. M. Hall	June 30, 1871	Thompsonville	Boston.
W. H. Haney	October 29, 1872	Cedarville	Xenia.
J. M. Henderson	December 29, 1872	3d Monmouth	Monmouth.
Andrew Henry	April 23, 1873	East 11th street, N. Y.	1st New York.
D. R. Imbrie	December 10, 1872	Fleming & M'Nebo	Allegheny.
E. T. Jeffers	July 15, 1872	Oxford	Philadelphia.
Rufus Johnson	April 8, 1873	Pleasant Hill	Muskingum.
James Kelso	December 17, 1872	Unity	Westmoreland.
T. J. Kennedy	April 9. 1873	Steubenville	Stubenville.
D. S. Kennedy	October 16, 1872	Center	Chartiers.
Wm. Lorimer	June 12, 1872	Stanwood	Le Claire.
James Mc Arthur	December 29, 1872	Ellison	Monmouth.
Joseph McCartney	September, 1872	Franklin	Lake.
J. U. McClanhan	October 15, 1872	Wyoming	Le Claire.
H. A. McDonald	October 15, 1872	Chartiers X Roads	Chartiers.
Hugh McHatton	June, 1872	Massie's Creek	Xenia.
W. H. McMitlan	January 28, 1873	3d Xenia	Xenia.
J. W. McNary	June, 1872	Reynoldsburg	Xenia.
James McRea	April 17, 1873	Somerville & Eden	Princeton.
W. A. Mehard	August 27, 1871	2d N. Wilmington	Mercer.
Thomas Mercer	April 2, 1873	Sciota	Chilicothe.
J. H. Montgomery	April 1, 1873	Elmira	Monmouth.
W. G. Nevin	April 15, 1873	Lawrenceburg	Butler.
D. Nicoll	June 12, 1872	Elvira	Le Claire.

D. Paul, D. D.	January 28, 1872	Norwich	Muskingum.
J. H. Peacock	February 18, 1873	Wurtemburg	Beaver Valley.
A. R. Rankin	August 7, 1872	Xenia Prairie	S. Illinois.
R. B. Robertson	June 24, 1872.	1st Freeport & Buffalo	Butler.
W. J. Robinson	January 22, 1873	Beulah	Galedonia.
A. H. Rule	July 25, 1872	Vinton	Cedar Rapids.
Joseph Seroggs, D. D.	September 3, 1872	Fairfield & Dunegal	Westmoreland.
Robert Stewart	July 30. 1872	Davenport	Delaware.
R. B. Taggart	April 29, 1873	North Kortright	Delaware.
D. M. Thorn	August, 1872	Biggsville	Monmouth.
John Weir	April 29, 1873	Telfer	Stamford.
J. B Whitten	November 26, 1872	Plain Grove	Mercer.
W. H Wilson	November 8, 1872	Salinas	San Francisco.
T. W. Winter—59	August 20, 1872	Poland	Beaver Valley.

ORGANIZATIONS.

PRESBYTERY—of Brookville.....Synod of Pittsburgh.....November 26, 1872.

CONGREGATIONS.

PRESBYTERY.	CONGREGATION.	DATE.
Allegheny	Central. Allegheny	December —, 1872.
Beaver Valley	Camp Run	September 28, 1872.
Cedar Rapids	Concord	October 6, 1872.
Chartiers	Taylorstown	August 15, 1872.
Garnett	Arkansas City	March 2, 1873.
do	Cottonwood Falls	May 25, 1872.
do	El Paso	March 16, 1873.
do	Howard City	January 18, 1873.
do	Galesburg	May 25, 1872.
do	Princeton	October 8, 1872.
do	White City	April 25, 1873.
Keokuk	Big Mound	June —, 1872.
do	Summerville	February —, 1873.
Mansfield	Chase City	July 25, 1872.
do	Jacktown	..
do	Stanton River	January 1, 1873.
Minnesota	Salem	April —, 1872.
1st New York	127th Street Church, N. Y.	February 20, 1873.
San Francisco	Roseville	March 29, 1873.
Wabash	Lebanon	December 16, 1872.
Westmoreland	Allegheny	May 24, 1873.
Yorkville	2d New York—22	March 9, 1873.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CONGREGATIONS.

I. ALPHABETICAL LIST OF MINISTERS.

☞ In the first column will be found, first, the name of the Minister; second, of the Presbytery; third the Post Office Address :—In the second, the date of ordination and the Pyesbytery by which ordained

ABBEY, A. S., Lake, Wayne, Pa.....May 7, 1872, Lake.
Acheson, Robert, Stamford, Galt, Ontario, Canada...September, 1857, North'n Illinois Association.
Atchison, J. M., Rock Island, Little York, Ill.....February 18, 1873, Rock Island.
Atchison, R. R., Mansfield, Fredericksburg, O.....February 21, 1871, Mansfield.
Adair, J. H., Garnet, Galesburgh, Kansas.....June 19, 1866, Conemaugh.
Adair, John M., Big Spring, M'Alevey's Fort, Pa.....March 16, 1859, Philadelphia, A.
Alexander, Josiah, Mercer, New Bedford, Pa.....October 27, 1853, Muskingum, A.
Alexander, S., Beaver Valley, Darlington, Pa.....August 21, 1855, Ohio, A.
Allen, A. J., Steubenville, Carrolton, O.....October, 1857, Iowa, A.
Anderson, A. R., Chartiers, Venice, Pa.....April 17, 1860, Chartiers.
Anderson, David, Albany, West Galway, N. Y.....April 4, 1871, Albany.
Anderson, John, Michigan, Martin, Michigan.....June 20, 1857, Michigan, A. R.
Andrew, James H., Argyle, South Argyle, N. Y.....February 20, 1855, Philadelphia, A.
Andrew, William H., Monongahela, Cor. Main and Grant Streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.....October 14, 1848, Iowa, A.
Arhuthnot, James, Chillicothe, Wheat Ridge, O.....1825, Lancaster, P.
Armstrong, J., Mercer, New Wilmington, Pa.....September 16, 1856, Lawrence, A. R.
Armstrong, Robert, 1st New York, Hudson City, N.J.June 29, 1847, Monongahela, A. R.
Arnott, Moses, Indiana, Hanover, Indiana.....June, 1846, Cambridge, A.
Ashenhust, J. Y., Mansfield, Christianville, Va.....May, 1846, Ref. Dis. Pres.
Ashton, A. F., Delaware, Andes, New York.....October 19, 1866, Michigan.
Aten, Adrian, 1st Ohio, College Corner, O.....November 14, 1827, Miama, P.
Aten, J. L., 1st Ohio, College Corner, O.....February 8, 1860, Lake.

BAILEY, J. A., Sidney, Sidney, O.....June 23, 1863, Lake.
Bain, J. W., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....November 12, 1861, Chartiers.
Baldridge, B. L., Kansas, Topeka, Kansas.....January 11, 1851, Michigan, A. R.
Balph, Thomas, Chartiers, Munntown, Pa.....October 30, 1864, Chartiers.
Barclay, D., Monongahela, Whiteash, Pa.....July 6, 1865, Wheeling.
Barnes, J. G., Monmouth, Monmouth, Illinois.....August 12, 1862, Allegheny.
Barnett, James, D.D., Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.....July 23, 1844, 1st Ohio, A. R.
Barr, James S., Sealkote, Sealkote, North India.....June 25, 1861, Chartiers.

Barr, W. W., Philadelphia, 705 S. 16th St., Phila., Pa September 28, 1859, Philadelphia, A.
Beveridge, Thomas, D.D., Xenia, Xenia, Ohio .... January 9, 1821, Kentucky, A.
Bigger, Samuel, Argyle, Putnam, New York.....September 29, 1868, Argyle.
Bigham, J. C., Bloomington, Piper City, Ill.....August 10, 1855, Mahoning, Free P.
Black, A. M., D.D., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....November 5, 1846, Muskingum, A.
Black, J. K., Des Moines, Chariton, Iowa.....July 30, 1861, 1st Ohio.
Black, J. P., Cedar Rapids, Centerville, Iowa.....June, 1864, Des Moines.
Black, W. A., Butler, North Hope, Pa..... ....August 29, 1854, Shenango, A.
Blaikie, A., D.D., Boston, 42 Chandler St., B'n, Mass. October 10, 1831, Pictou, Nova Scotia.
Blair, David, Conemaugh, Indiana, Pa.....October 7, 1818, Chartiers, A.
Blair, H. H., 2d New York, 34 Perry St., New York. September, 1836, Albany, A.
Bonner, D. F., Caledonia, Caledonia, New York .....June 16, 1865, Des Moines.
Bonner, J. H., Chillicothe, Mt. Joy, Ohio.....October 27, 1841, Indiana, A. R.
Borelanu. J. B., Steubenville, Richmond, O.....September 12, 1871, Steubenville.
Boyd, Joseph, Des Moines, Carlisle, Iowa .....June, 1857, Big Spring, A. R.
Boyd, J. C., Monongahela, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.....April 14, 1858, Monongahela, A. R.
Boyd, R. H., Muskingum, Londonderry, O ..... .April 12, 1864, Monongahela.
Boyd, T. F., Westmoreland, Monroeville, Pa.....September 29, 1857, Caledonia, A. R.
Bracken, T., Detroit, Niles, Michigan.....August 19, 1869, Detroit.
Brandon, J. A., Allegheny, Dorseyville, Pa..... September 12, 1871, Allegheny.
Breadin, W. P., Butler, Coultersville, Pa.....May 11, 1843, Lake, A. R.
Brittain, J. R., Lake, Greenville, Pa..... September 4, 1866, Lake.
Brown, G. C., Lake..... ....June 13, 1871, Lake.
Brown, Hugh, Wisconsin, Dekora, Wisconsin.....August 15, 1832, Glasgow, Scotland.
Brown, Hugh, Vermont, Greensboro', Vermont ..... 1843, Belfast.
Brown, James, D.D., Keokuk, Keokuk, Iowa.. . September 11, 1840, Chartiers, A.
Brown, J. G., D.D., Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa....December 29, 1846, Monongahela, A. R.
Brown, M. M., West Missouri, Greenwood, Mo.....October 16, 1846, Illinois, A. R,
Brown, J. H., Sidney, Piqua, Ohio .....September 12, 1864, Monmouth.
Brown, N. E., Butler, Jacksonville, Pa.....June 26, 186, But ler.
Brown, N. H., Keokuk, Ainsworth, Iowa..... October, 13, 1862, Chicago.
Brown, Samuel, Brookville, Willet, Pa..... .... August 16, 1853, Blairsville, A. R.
Brown, Thomas, Keokuk, Crawfordsville, Iowa. ....February 26, 1870, Muskingnm, A.
Brown, William, Des Moines, Mt. Ayr, Iowa.....June 16, 1869, Des Moines.
Brown, R. A., D.D., Lake, Titusville, Pa.....December 31, 1844, Monongahela, A. R.
Brownlee, E. A., Minnesota, Blue Earth City, Minn. March, 1861, Kansas.
Brownlee, J. D., Steubenville, Wellsville, O .....May 8, 1870, Steubenville.
Brownlee, J. T., Chartiers, West Middletown, Pa....October 31, 1850, Albany, A.
Bruce, D. G., Big Spring, Pa.....May 18, 1869, Big Spring.
Bruce, James, Delaware, Andes, New York.....May 13, 1858, Philadelphia, A.
Bruce, Wm., Bloomington, Washburn, Illinois.....September 15, 1837. Miama, A.
Bruce, Wm., Phila., Xenia, O.....April 26, 1855, Philadelphia, A.
Bryan, John, Princeton, Bloomington, Indiana.....September 7, 1841, Muskingum, A.
Bryson, J. C., West Missouri, Warrensburg, Mo.....November 12. 1850, Blairsville, A. R.
Buchanan, J. H., Sidney, Huntsville, O.....October 12, 1842, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Buchanan, J. N., Michigan, Hebron, Indiana... ....November 29, 1851, Michigan, A. R.
Buchanan, J. S., Le Claire, Clarence, Iowa.....November 1, 1840, Stuebenville, A. R.
Buchanan, J. W., Michigan, Harris Creek, Mich. ....June 13, 1865, Michigan.
Bull, J. L., Cedar Rapids, Buckingham, Iowa.....July 18, 1847, Miami, A.
Burns, J. A., Des Moines, Verona, Iowa..... September 20, 1872, Des Moines.

CALDWELL, A. H., Muskingum, Antrim, O.....January, 1864, Lake.
Colderhead, E. B., West Missouri..... .....August 10, 1841, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Calhoun, A., Philadelphia, 2019 Parrish St., Phila....August 25, 1858, Mansfield, A. R.
Calvert, A. H., Allegheny, Etna, Pa.....December 22, 1868, Allegheny.
Campbell, Gawn, 2d N. Y., 422, W. 44th St. N. York. October, 1850, Vermont, A.
Campbell, J. C., Frankfort, Paris, Pa.....November 14, 1848, Stuebenville, A. R.
Campbell, J. T., Muskingum, Indian Camp, O.....October 26, 1869, Muskingum.
Campbell, R. G., Wheeling, New Athens, Ohio.....November 23, 1863, Wheeling.
Campbell, R. G., Caledonia, Elgin, N. Y.....September 1, 1870, Caledonia.
Campbell, R. S., Rock Island, Coal Valley, Illinois...June 12, 1856, Iowa, A. R.
Campbell, W. A., Xenia, Clifton, Ohio.....September 3. 1861, Xenia.
Campbell, W. T., Rock Island, Little York.....June 14, 1872, Rock Island.
Carlile, W., Big Spring, Shippensburg, Pa .....October, 1847, Big Spring, A. R.
Carson, D. W., Frankfort Industry, Pa.....October 28, 1852, Chartiers, A.
Carson, J. G., Xenia, Xenia, Ohio..... .....November 13, 1856. Chartiers. A.
Christie, D., Beaver Valley, Portersville, Pa.....July 3, 1860, Saltsburg, P.
Church, F., Phila., 10th St., above South, Phila.....February 23, 1844, Trinidad, A.
Clapperton, J. B., Argyle, Shushan, New York.....June 22, 1869, Argyle.
Clark, A.D., D.D., Allegh'y, 184 Chartiers, Allegh'y, Pa. Summer of 1845, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Clark, J. A., Butler, Prospect, Pa.....April 12, 1859, Butler.
Clark, J. L., Albany, Indianapolis, Ind.....July 22, 1858, Saratoga, A. R.
Clarke, Matthew, Conemaugh, Pine Flats, Pa.....August 16, 1853, Blairsville, A. R.
Clark, S. F., Princeton, Princeton, Ind.....April 13, 1865, Chicago.
Clark, S. W., Steubenville, Richmond, Ohio.....August, 3, 1847, Monongahela, A. R.
Cleland, W. J., Minnesota .....
Clokey, Joseph, D.D., Xenia, Springfield, O.....August, 1827, Muskingum, A.
Clokey, A. W., Xenia, Springfield, O..... 1867, Indiana.
Cochran, D. C., Kansas, Moores Summit, Kansas.....June, 1849, Mansfield, A. R.
Coleman, A. B., Tennessee, Fayetteville, Tenn.....July 8, 1862, Conemaugh.
Coleman, W. M., Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....April 12, 1859, Monongahela.
Collins, D. W., Conemaugh, Blairsville, Pa.....August 11, 1849, Northern Indiana, A.
Collins, J. A., Garnet, Americus, Kansas.....August 10, 1858, Shenango, A.
Collins, Samuel, Allegheny, 55, 9th St., Pittsburgh, Pa. September 10, 1847, Miami, A.
Comin, J., D.D., Muskingum, Rixville, Ohio.....June, 1851, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Cooke, Wm., Butler, Harrisville, Pa.....November 10, 1859, Monmouth.
Coon, S. M., Steubenville, Salineville, O.....April 1, 1845, Ohio, P.
Cooper, E. G., Garnett, Kalida, Kansas. .....March 18, 1869, Kansas.
Cooper, J. H., 1st Ohio, Morning Sun, Ohio.....September 19, 1866, Chicago, R. P.
Cooper, J. T., D.D., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....September 25, 1839, Philadelphia, A.

Crabbe, H. W., Caledonia. Buffalo, N. Y.....April 22, 1868, Indiana.
Crawford, A., 2d N. Y., 147 Clinton St., Newark, N. J. September 25, 1864, Cavan, Ireland.
Crawford, John, Argyle, Damascus, Syria..... April 13, 1857, Washington, A. R.
Crawford, L. I., Lake, Sandy Lake, Pa.....June 16, 1864, Le Claire.
Cresswell, R. J., Delaware, Andes, New York.....December 26, 1871, Delaware.
Crowe, James, Phila., 2245 N. Second St., Phila., Pa. November 26, 1860, Philadelphia.
Crowe, N. K., Delaware,.....January, 1857, Western, R. P.
Cummins, C., Mercer, Wheeler, Pa .....October 24, 1844, Miami, A.
Currie, David, Caledonia, Sterling Valley, N. Y.....January 4, 1826, Saratoga, A. R.
Currie, W. P., W. Missouri, Manhattan, Kansas... ...September 23, 1858, Northern Illinois, A.

Dales, J. B., D.D., Phila., 1628 Filbert St., Phila. Pa. June 4, 1840, New York, A. R.
Davidson, Wm., D.D., 1st Ohio, Hamilton, Ohio....September, 1841, Ref. Dis., P.
Davis, J. P., Frankfort, Hookstown, Pa.....September 3, 1872.
Dick, J. M., Oregon, Eugene City, Oregon. .....
Dick, J. N., D.D., Butler, Kittanning, Pa.....
Dodds, D., Butler, Baldwin, Pa.....June 4, 1872, Butler.
Dodds, James, Wisconsin, Vernon, Wis. .....March 14, 1872, Wisconsin.
Doig. J. R., D.D., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ills.....September 10, 1842, Richland, A.
Doig, R. T., Delaware, East Meredith, N. Y.....October 29, 1868, Delaware.
Donaldson, J. M., Mercer, New Wilmington, Pa.....September 27, 1865, Butler.
Donaldson, Wm., Caledonia, Franklinville, N. Y.....December 7, 1870, Caledonia.
Donnan, David, Lake, Cochranton, Pa.....June, 1850, Albany, A.
Drennen, P. H., Kansas, Winchester, Kansas.....April 30, 1855, 2d Illinois, A. R.
Duff, D. A., Westmoreland, Cavittsville, Pa.....June 15, 1869, Caledonia.
Duff, D. K., Brookville, Dayton, Pa.....October 2, 1856, Clarion. A.
Duff, Jackson, Garnett, Centre Ridge, Kansas.....June 27, 1844, Illinois, A. R.
Duncan, James, Muskingum, Creighton, Ohio.....August, 1851. 2d Ohio, A. R.
Dunn, W. C., Steubenville, Scroggsfield, O.....April 14, 1865, Sidney.
Dysart, T. P., Indiana, Dunreith, Indiana..... .April, 1863, Des Moines.

Easton, J. S., D.D., Westmoreland, Allegheny, Pa...May, 1836, Philadelphia, A.
Easton, W., Philadelphia, Smyrna, Pa.....June 7, 1827, Philadelphia, A.
Edgar, J., Caledonia, Sterling Valley, N. Y..... ....November 16, 1859, Caledonia.
Edie, J. A., Monmouth, Clayton, Ill .....May 7, 1857, Monmouth, A.
Elder, A. H., Westmoreland, McKeesport, Pa.....July 7, 1863, Westmoreland.
Elliott, J. C., St. Louis, Swanwick, Ill.....October 7, 1863, Chicago.
Elliott, J. H., 1st Ohio, Twenty Mile Stand, O.....September 17, 1868, Nebraska.
Erskine, J., 1st New York, Walden, N. Y.....January 8, 1852, Saratoga, A. R.
Erskine, W. R., Garnet, Richmond, Kansas.... ...April 19, 1851, Illinois, A. R.
Evans, J. C., Beaver Valley, Freedom, Pa.....September 17, 1867, Allegheny.
Ewing, R. B., Monongahela, Station A, Pittsb'g, Pa. January 10, 1859, Xenia.
Ewing, S. C., Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.....May 2, 1860, Allegheny.
Ewing, W. D., Butler, Slippery Rock, Pa..... .....February 22, 1870, Butler.

Fairley, J. L., Bloomington Ill.....September 26, 1850, Philadelphia, A, R.
Fee, R. N., Oregon, Lewiston, Idaho Ter..... ....November 29, Illinois, A. R.
Ferguson, R. G., Big Spring, Mercersburg, Pa.....October 17, 1866, Big Spring.
Findley, J. G. D., 1st New York, Newburg, N. Y.....October 14, 1869, 1st New York.
Findley, W., D.D., Mercer, New Wilmington, Pa.....May, 1837, Lake, A. R.
Findley, W. A., Garnet, Chetopa, Kansas.....April 3, 1867, 1st New York.
Finney, J. R., S. Illinois, Coulterville, Ill.....June 20, 1867, Kansas.
Finney, J. P., Chillicothe, Wheat Ridge, O.....November 15, 1866, Wabash.
Fisher, J. R., Argyle, West Hebron, New York.....June 14, 1866, Argyle.
Forsyth, D., Kansas, Grasshopper Falls, Kansas.....November 15, 1860, Butler.
Forsythe, Hugh, Muskingum, Cambridge, O.....May 25, 1842, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Frazer, J. I., Beaver Valley, Beaver Falls, Pa.....April 25, 1861, Indiana.
Frazier, S. R. Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....June 11, 1867, 1st Ohio.
Free, P. W., Lake, Waterford, Pa.....September 6, 1871, Lake.
French, D. H., Mansfield, Mansfield, Ohio.....May, 1861, Chartiers, A.
French, D. W., D.D., Mercer, Mercer, Pa..... September 8, 1847, Chartiers, A.
French, J. M., Rock Island, Norwood, Ill.....June 27, 1872, Rock Island.
French, R. W., Chicago, Peotone, Ill.....October, 1844, Illinois, A.
French, W. H., 1st Ohio, Cincinnati, O.....August 27, 1857, Richland, A.
Fulton, W., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....October 25, 1864, Conemaugh.

Gager, S. D., Oregon, Lebanon, Oregon.....July 18, 1850, Mansfield, A. R.
Gailey, John, Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....April 24, 1866, Butler.
Gailey, R., Cleveland, Lexington, O.....April 30, 1839, Monongahela, A. R.
Galbraith, W., Butler, Freeport, Pa.....November, 1836, Allegheny, A.
Gelvin, D. M., Detroit, Mich.....October 30, 1867, Detroit.
Gibson, J. D., Delaware, South Kortright, N. Y.....January 6, 1839, Caledonia. A. R.
Gibson, M. M., San Francisco, 114 Eddy St., S. Fran., Cal. July 21, 1864, Sidney.
Gibson, W. M., Mansfield, Millersburg, O..... .....November 9, 1855, Chartiers, A.
Gilfillan, A. B., Caledonia, Peoria, N. Y..... .....May 12, 1869, Caledonia.
Gillespie, J., Stamford, Milton, Ontario, Canada.....June 26, 1851, Stamford, A.
Gillespie, W. J., S. Illinois, Sparta, Ill.....October 17, 1869, Illinois, R. P.
Gilmore, John, Sidney, New California, O. ....September 27, 1842, Monongahela, A. R.
Given, James, Westmoreland, Burrell, Pa.....April 12, 1854, Monongahela, A. R.
Gladstone, W. R., Argyle, East Greenwich, N. Y....September 8, 1868, Argyle.
Glenn, J. W., S. Illinois, Marissa, Ill..... .....November, 1855, Illinois, A. R.
Glenn, J. D., Wabash, Elizaville, Ind.....June 15, 1850, Michigan, A. R.
Goodwillie, D., Cleveland, Girard, O.....April 26, 1826, Ohio, A.
Goodwillie, D. H., Detroit, Commerce, Mich.....September 27, 1855, Stamford, A.
Gordon, Andrew, Cedar Rapids, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. August 29, 1854, Albany, A.
Gordon, D, M., Cedar Rapids, Cedar Rapids, Iowa...November 11, 1864, Philadelphia.
Gordon, H., Argyle, Coila, New York..... .....July 1, 1848, Northern, R. P.
Graham, A. J., Des Moines, Indianolo, Iowa.....June 15, 1870, Des Moines.
Graham, H. Q., Conemaugh, New Florence, Pa.....September 20, 1854, Chilicothe, A. R.
Graham, J. F., Western Missouri, Kingsville, Mo....September 30, 1863, Monmouth.

Graham, J. M., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....
Graham, R., Monmouth, Biggsville, Ill.....April 29, 1873, Monmouth.
Graham, S. H., 1st New York, 106 Bedford St., N. Y.August 12, 1862, Frankfort.
Graham, W. M., Nebraska, Cass Centre, Iowa.....June 13, 1867, Delaware.
Gray, R., Wabash, Murray, Ind..... ...August, 1856, Indiana, A. R.
Grier, James, D.D., Monongahela, Noblestown, Pa..August 10, 1839, Monongahela, A. R.
Grier, J. C., Brookville, Brush Valley, Pa.....June, 1857, Blairsville, A. R.
Grimes, W., Wheeling, Glencoe, Ohio.....August 18, 1858, Muskingum, A.
Grove, J. L., Butler, Worthington, Pa... .....October 23, 1872, Butler.
Guthrie, T. C., D.D., Allegheny, Ogle, Pa.....April 16, 1826, Pittsburgh, R. P.

HALL, G. M., Argyle, Cambridge, N. Y.....September 10, 1836, Miami, A.
Hammond, R. J., Tennessee, Fayetteville, Tenn.....November 15, 1843, Albany, A.
Haney, W. H., Caledonia, Mnmford· N. Y.....June 8, 1865, Xenia.
Hanna, T. H., Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....February 18, 1862, Philadelphia.
Hannay, Thomas, D.D., Stamford.....
Harkness, Robert, Boston, Whitinsville, Mass.....
Harper, James, D.D., 1st N. Y., Newburg, N. Y.....October 31, 1850, Albany, A.
Harper, John, Bloomington, Smithville, Ill.....December 8, 1858, Washington. A. R.
Harper, W. S., Muskingum, Barlow, O.....August 21, 1872, Muskingum.
Harris, D., Des Moines, Lacona, Iowa.....August 2, 1864, Monmouth.
Harsha, J. W., Argyle, South Argyle, N. Y.....April 28, 1840, Ohio, A.
Harshaw, M., St. Louis, Cutler, Ill.....November 9, 1842, Western, R. P.
Harvey, W., Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.....August 29, 1864, Detroit.
Hatch, C. B., Monongahela, Surgeon Hall, Pa.....June 25, 1872, Monongahela.
Hawthorne, Wm., Corbins, Province Quebec, Canada.September 24, 1852, Cambridge, A.
Henderson, James M., S. Illinois, Oak Dale, Ill.. May 8, 1834, Miami, A.
Henderson, John M., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....May 2, 1868, Monmouth.
Henderson, G. D., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....October 19, 1849, Northern Illinois, A.
Henning, W. E., Argyle, N. Argyle, New York.....June 30, 1853, Cambridge, A.
Henry, Andrew, 1st New York, N. Y.....June 13, 1871, 1st New York.
Heron, A., D.D., Xenia, Cedarville, O.....Spring of 1815, The Carolinas, A.
Heron, J. M., Wabash, Cedarville, O.....May, 1848, Caledonia, A. R.
Herron, J. C., Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas. ..... October 14, 1845 Chartiers, A.
Herron, S. T., Des Moines, Corning, Iowa.....May 20, 1846, Ohio, A.
Hervey, H. H., Lake, Hartstown, Pa..... June 15, 1853, Lake. A. R.
Hogg, John, D.D., Egypt, Cairo, Egypt..... ... 1860, Egypt.
Hogg, John, Boston, Lawrence, Mass.... .....August 30, 1864, Stamford.
Hood, John, Frankfort, Burgettstown, Pa.....April 9, 1872, Frankfort.
Hood, S. M., Allegheny, Bakerstown, Pa.....September 13, 1870, Allegheny.
Houston, A. Y., Vermont, Ryegate, Vermont.....February 17, 1858, Chartiers, A.
Howie, James, S. Illinois, Cuba, Mo.....September 9, 1868, St. Louis.
Hubbell, S. C., Sidney, Scotch Ridge, O..... April 20, 1869, Muskingum.
Hutchinson, F. A., Monongahela, Noblestown, Pa.....October 19, 1849, Southern Indiana, A.
Hutchinson, S. M., Muskingum, Washington, O.....April 20, 1853, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Hutchison, J. C., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.... .....June 6, 1862, Monmouth.
Hutchison, J. F., Indiana, Madison, Ind.....October 17, 1853, Springfield, A. R.
Hutchison, W. R., Butler, Saxonburg, Pa.....September 10, 1861, Butler.

IMBRIE, D. R., Wheeling, Harrisville, O.....January 25, 1872, Allegheny.
Inches, David, Monmouth, Spring Grove, Ill.....September 30, 1869, Monmouth.
Ingles, James, Princeton, Scotland, Ind.....April, 1854, Northern Illinois, A.
Irons, J. D., Monongahela, Hulton, Pa.....May 15, 1873, Monongahela.
Irvine, S. G., Oregon, Albany, Oregon.....March 12, 1851, Muskingum, A.
Irving, C., Delaware, Stamford, N. Y.....September 9, 1846, Saratoga. A. R.

JACKSON, H. P., Xenia, Cedarville, O.....December 19, 1865, Lake.
Jackson, J. B., Westmoreland, Greensburg, Pa.....April 8, 1873, Westmoreland.
Jackson, W. C., Phila., 1522 Catharine St., Phila., Pa.February, 1854, Shenango, A.
Jamieson, J. M., Steubenville, Hopedale, O.....May 1, 1860, Steubenville.
Jamison, J., Big Spring Gettysburg, Pa.....August 21, 1855, Butler, A. R.
Jamison, S., Big Spring, Union, Pa.....August, 1848, Blairsville, A. R.
Jamison, W. H., Butler, Petersburg, Pa.....
Jeffers, E. T., D.D., Mercer, New Wilmington, Pa....September 25, 1865, Philadelphia.
Johnston, J. B., D.D., Wheeling, St. Clairsville, O....June, 1834, Western, R. P.
Johnston, J. R., Chartiers, Washington, Pa.....June, 18, 1865, Chartiers.
Johnston, J. M., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa..... .
Johnstone, Rufus, Muskingum, Midway, O.....June 15, 1869, Muskingum.
Johnston, W., Indiana, Spring Hill, Ind..... ...April 23, 1856, 2d Ohio, A. R.

KATZ, Oliver, Westmoreland, Saltsburg, Pa.....December 31, 1861, Westmoreland.
Kelso, James, Westmoreland, New Texas, Pa.....May 25, 1852, Blairsville, A. R.
Kennedy, D. S., Allegheny, Sewickley, Pa.....September 14, 1862, Chartiers.
Kennedy, T. J., Steubenville, Steubenville, Ohio.....September 6, 1859, Lake.
Kerr, D.R., D.D, Monongahela, 72 3d Av. Pittsb'g, Pa. January 12, 1842, Monongahela, A. R.
Kerr, Joseph R., Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pa.....April 11, 1864, Allegheny.
Kerr, Samuel, Butler, Harrisville, Pa.....September 8, 1852, Shenango, A.
King, A. G., Delaware, Delhi, N. Y.....June 18, 1868, Delaware.
Kirkpatrick, N. R., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....June 22, 1854, Indiana, A. R.
Knox, W. H., Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....April 21, 1873, Monongahela.
Kyle, J. R., Boston, Fall River, Mass.....October 12, 1864, St. Louis.

LACKEY, John, Keokuk, Dutch Creek, Iowa... .....November 14, 1866, Wisconsin.
Lansing, Guilian, D.D., Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.....August 7, 1850, New York, A. R.
Laughead, I. N., Keokuk, Washington, Iowa.... ...November 14, 1839, Indiana, A.
Lee, J. B., Delaware, Bovina Valley, N. Y.....September 7, 1856, Albany, A.
Leiper, H. Y., Steubenville, Moore's Salt Works, O..January 1, 1867, 1st Ohio.
Leiper, J. H., Steubenville, E. Liverpool, O.....June 30, 1868, Steubenville.
Lindsay, D., Garnet, Garnet, Kansas..... ...October, 1834, Muskingum, A.
Littell, D. S., Chartiers, Clokey, Pa.....July, 1861, Frankfort.
Logue, J. W., Cleveland, Northfield, O.....October 4, 1843, Ohio, A.

Lorimer, S. W., Monmouth, Sagetown, Ill.....December 12, 1866, Keokuk.
Love, T., Wheeling, Shepherdstown, O.....November 14, 1854, Lake, A. R.
Lytle, Jas. P., Muskingum, Sago, Ohio.....September, 1853, Miami, A.

M'ALLISTER, W. S., Chicago, Tamarac, Ill.....April 10, 1872, Chicago.
M'Arthur, S., Conemaugh, Pa.....November 1, 1838, Muskingum, A.
M'Arthur, J., Monmouth, Olena, Ill.....September 11, 1846, Cambridge, A.
M'Auley, D. T., Garnet, Burlington, Kansas.... ....May 6, 1861, St. Louis.
M'Ayeal, R. A., Des Moines, Oskaloosa, Iowa..... November, 1857, Iowa, A. R.
M'Bride, Andrew, Indiana, Morefield, Ind .....April 9, 1873, Indiana.
M'Bride, S. B., Westmoreland, Parnassus, Pa.....September 6, 1870, Westmoreland.
M'Burney, F., Big Spring, Mexico, Pa.....August 14, 1856, Philadelphia, A.
M'Cague, Thomas, Nebraska, Omaha, Neb.....May 9. 1854, Chilicothe, A. R.
M'Cahan, A., D.D., Chartiers, Canonsburg, Pa.....April 14, 1829, Big Spring, A. R.
M'Callister, J. R., Rock Island, Rock Island, Ill....
M'Campbell, Luther, Butler. Slate Lick, Pa.....
M'Cartney, Joseph, Lake.....June 22, 1860, Conemaugh.
M'Cartney, A., Des Moines, Londonderry, O.....December 9, 1858, Mansfield.
M'Caughan, C. T., Des Moines, Winterset, Iowa.....April 22, 1840, 1st Ohio, A. R.
M'Clanahan, W. S., Rock Island, Viola, Ill.....October 22, 1865, 1st Ohio.
M'Clellan, D. M., Conemaugh, Phillips' Mills, Pa....September 10, 1867, Conemaugh.
M'Clelland, H. R., Beaver Valley, Mt. Jackson, Pa...October 27, 1870, Mercer.
M'Clenahan, James U., Rock Island, Davenport, Ia..September 9, 1869, Le Claire.
M'Clintock, J., Mercer, Worth, Pa..... .....August 13, 1846, Miami, A.
M'Clure, J. T., Wheeling, Wheeling, W. Va.... ....May 28, 1850, Steubenville, A. R.
M'Connell, W. A., Chartiers, Hickory, Pa.... .....June 15, 1859, Mansfield.
M'Coy, Elijah, Monmouth, Young America, Ill. ....May, 1840, Ref. Dis. Pres.
M'Cracken, R. J., Bloomington, Hoopestown, Ill....May, 1848, Pittsburgh, R. P.
M'Crea, R. T., Mercer, Worth, Pa... .....November 9, 1869, Mercer.
M'Cready, R. J., Nebraska, Pawnee City, Neb .... April 28, 1871, Nebraska.
M'Culloch, J. S., 2d New York, 316 E. 122d St., N. Y.August 23, 1859, Bloomington.
Macdill, D., Chillicothe, Cherry Fork, Ohio.....September, 1853, Chilicothe, A. R.
M'Dill, A. T., Nebraska, College Springs, Iowa.....April 4, 1869, Chicago.
M'Dill, N. C., Indiana, Richland, Ind.....November 5, 1852, Indiana, A. R.
M'Donald, H. A., Cleveland, 270 Perry St., Clev'd, O.October 14, 1869, Chartiers.
M'Dowell, N., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill. .....July 13, 1847, Chartiers, A.
M'Elheney, G., Beaver Valley, Darlington, Pa.....October, 1850, Mahoning, F. P.
M'Elree, E. N., Butler, Freeport, Pa..... .. ....June 16, 1862, Butler.
M'Elree, J. C., Butler, Eauclaire, Pa.....May 5, 1869, Butler.
M'Elwee, W.M., D.D., Frankfort, Frankfort Sp'gs, Pa.April 1, 1827, The Carolinas, A.
M'Farland, H. C., Monongahela, Hulton, Pa ....April 12, 1853, Monongahela, A. R.
M'Farland, J. W., Westmoreland, Denver, Col.....September 24, 1857, Richland, A.
M'Farland, W. H., Muskingum, Cambridge, O .....January 7, 1860, Muskingum.
M'Gibben, A. W., Delaware, New Kingston, N. Y...April 25, 1866, Bloomington.
M'Gill, J., Stamford, Stamford, Ontario, Canada.....September, 1838, Muskingum, A.
M'Gill, J. A., Big Spring, M'Coysville, Pa. ... .October 7, 1851, Ohio, A.
MacHatton, Alex., Princeton, Palestine, Ill.....September, 1851, Northern Indiana, A.
MacHatton, H., Xenia, Cedarville, O.....
MacHatton, Joseph, 1st Ohio, Morning Sun, O.....November 6, 1855, Sidney, A. R.
M'Henry, D. S., Delaware, Hamden, N. Y..... 1850, Philadelphia, A.
M'Kee, Jos., Cedar Rapids, Marshalltown, Iowa.....September, 1837, Muskingum, A.
M'Kee, J. A., Chartiers, Claysville, Pa.....October, 1852, North Illinois, A.
M'Kee, Jas. P., Sealkote, Gujranwala, India.....September 20, 1870, Lake.
M'Kee, S. E., Keokuk, Washington, Iowa.....
M'Kee, W. R., Frankfort, Bavington, Pa .....September, 1860, Argyle.
M'Kelvey, Joseph, Kansas, Leavenworth, Kan.. ...June 20, 1867, Kansas.
MacKenzie, W. A., Argyle, Salem, N. Y.....April 5, 1865, Allegheny.
M'Kirahan, J., Wheeling, Glencoe, Ohio... .....April 23, 1850, Cambridge, A.
M'Kitrick, J. M., W. Missouri, Greenwood, Mo .....November 2, 1871, W. Missouri.
M'Knight, D. K. Frankfort, Clinton, Pa.....July 9, 1872, Frankfort.
M'Knight, J. C., Garnett, Chetopa, Kansas..... June 10, 1856, 2d Illinois, A. R.
M'Lachlin, Alex., Chartiers, Claysville, Pa.....April 15, 1873, Chartiers.
M'Lachlin, D., Wisconsin. ... .October 10, 1872.
M'Laren, Donald C., D.D., Caledonia, Geneva, N. Y.January 1, 1820, Washington, A. R.
M'Lane, D. W., Conemaugh, Mahoning, Pa.....October 16, 1868, Monmouth,
M'Lean, D. H. A., D.D., Beaver Valley, Beaver, Pa.September 2, 1841, Shenango, A.
M'Lean, D. M. B., Chartiers, Canonsburg, Pa.....January 13, 1863, Allegheny.
M'Lean, J. L., Nebraska, Red Oak, Iowa.....November 22, 1839, Indiana, A.
M'Lellan, J., Detroit, Detroit, Mich.....August 27, 1833, Lanark.
M'Masters, John, D.D., Princeton, Princeton, Ind .. January 26, 1832, Western, R. P.
M'Masters, W. H., Westmoreland, Irwin, Pa .....September 5, 1871, Westmoreland.
M'Michael, J. B., Xenia, Bellbrook, O.....October 9, 1862, Xenia.
M'Michael, E. S., Des Moines, Newton, Iowa.....
M'Millan, W. H., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....October 4, 1864, Monmouth.
M'Millan, Andrew, Monmouth, Olena, Ill..... .....June 9, 1869, Monmouth.
M'Nab, Jos., Lake, Oil City, Pa.....September 17, 1867, Lake.
M'Nary, J. W., Xenia, Columbus, O.....October 8, 1863, Xenia.
M'Nary, W. P., Princeton, Bloomington, Ind. .....December 8, 1866, Kansas.
M'Neal, James, Tennessee, Maryville, Tennessee....August 10, 1854, Muskingum, A.
M'Rea, James, Princeton, Summerville, Ind.....
M'Watty, R., Mercer, Mercer, Pa.....September, 1854, Lake, A. R.
Madge, J. G., Mansfield, Orrville, O .... August 9, 1870, Mansfield.
Mairs, G., Argyle, Argyle, New York ... .May, 1823, Washington, A. R.
Makhiel il, Belyene, Cairo, Egypt..... ...February 20, 1867, Egypt.
Mann, David, Stamford, Walton, Ontario, Canada....December 27, 1855, Armandale, U. P. Scotland.
Marling, M. M., Wheeling, Roney's Point, W. Va...April 8, 1864, Kansas.
Marshall, S. C., Des Moines, Albia, Iowa.....July 16, 1861, New York.
Martin, J. K., W. Missouri, Kansas City.....April, 1868, Western, R. P.
Martin, J. F., Des Moines, Monroe, Iowa.....November 15, 1866, Allegheny.
Martin, J. W., Garnet, Edgerton, Kan.....April 6, 1862 Steubenville,.

Martin, Samuel, Sealkote, Sealkote, India .....July 3, 1866, Steubenville.
Mathews, G. D., 2d New York, 221 W. 15th St. N. Y.August 31, 1854, Galloway, Scotland.
Maughlin, J. S., Nebraska.....Oct. 21, 1852, S. Indiana, A.
Mayn, A., Garnett, Longton, Kansas.....May 4, 1861, Arkansas, A. R., South.
Mehard, W. A., Mercer, New Wilmington, Pa. .....
Meloy, W. T., Wheeling, Cadiz, O.....June 23, 1865, Wheeling.
Melvin, W., Vermont..... 1858, New York, A.
Mercer, Thomas, Chillicothe, Decatur, O.....January 19, 1859, Michigan.
Miller, W. F., Mansfield, Savanah, O.....September 19, 1872, Mansfield.
Mitchell. C. H., Chicago, Savannah, Ill.....June 11, 1872, Chicago.
Moffet, W. T., Chicago, Freeland, Ill.....April 3, 1861, Chicago.
Monteith, Thomas W., Detroit, Port Huron, Mich...
Montgomery, A. S., Princeton, Brown's Station, Ill.....December, 1854, Tennessee, A. R., South.
Montgomery, J. H., Monmouth, Elmira, Ill.....January 26, 1864, Monmouth.
Moore, S. M., Illinois, Preston.....
Morehead, W G., Xenia, Xenia, O.....July 1, 1862, Sidney.
Morrison, M., Nebraska, College Springs, Iowa.....August 12, 1850, Chilicothe, A. R.
Morrow, D., San Francisco, Roseville, Placer Co., Cal. June 20, 1857, Michigan, A. R.
Morrow, James, S. Illinois, Tilden, Ill..... January 2, 1840, 1st Ohio, A. R.
Morrow, J. A., Steubenville, New Rumley, O.....October 16, 1862, Chicago.
Morrow, S.F., D.D., Albany, 48 Lancaster St., Albany, New York..... .....July 8, 1846, Albany, A.
Morrow, T. G., Bloomington, Wenona, Ill.....April 14, 1869, Monmouth.
Morrow, Wm., Bloomington, Chenoa, Ill.....July 14, 1863, Muskingum.
Murch, J. C., Muskingum, New Concord, O.....Nov. 6, 1851, Southern Indiana, A.
Mustard, D. F., Frankfort, Seventy-Six, Pa.....October 8, 1872, Frankfort.

NASH, J. H., Rock Island, Sunbeam, Ill..... ....October 8, 1857, Monmouth, A.
Nelson, John A., Westmoreland, Mt. Pleasant, Pa...April 9, 1872, Westmoreland.
Nevin, J. C., Monongahela, Canton, China.....September 30, 1859, Monongahela.
Niblock, J. H., Wisconsin, Oshkosh, Wis.....October 12, 1865, Wisconsin.
Nicoll, David, Le Claire, Dewitt, Iowa.....November 17, 1869, Le Claire.

OLDHAM, M. M., Xenia, Springfield, O.....November, 1848, Ref. Dis. Pres.
Ormond, B. K., Mercer, Sharon, Pa..... .....September 9, 1858, Lawrence, A. R.
Ormond, G. K., Monongahela, Mansfield, Pa.....April 10, 1852, Monongahela, A. R.
Ormond, Marcus, Wheeling, West Alexander, Pa....August 17, 1858, Allegheny, A. R.
Owens, W. S., Conemaugh, Indiana, Pa.....May 18, 1869, Philadelphia.

PARKS, H., Wheeling, St. Clairsville, O.....
Patterson, D. J., 2d N. Y., 282 Dean St., Brooklyn, N.Y.April 27, 1848, Northern, R. P.
Patterson, John, Beaver Valley, Beaver, Pa.....July 15, 1855, Muskingum, A.
Patterson, R. M., Chartiers, Thompsonville, Pa.....November 11, 1861, Butler.
Patterson, Samuel, Beaver Valley, Darlington, Pa....September 25, 1849, Monongahela, A. R.
Patterson, T. P., Westmoreland, Uniontown, Pa.....October 28, 1864, Monmouth.
Pattison, Alex., Keokuk, Birmingham, Iowa.....May 10, 1844, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Paul, David, D.D., Muskingum, New Concord, O.....December 13, 1853, Monongahela, A. R.
Peacock, J. H., Beaver Valley, Princeton, Pa..... October, 1843. Mansfield, A. R.
Pollock, D. H., Westmoreland, Elizabeth, Pa.....August 21, 1849, Blairsville, A. R.
Pollock, R. H., D.D., Mansfield, Wooster, O.....Oct. 22, 1846, Indiana, A.
Pollock, Thomas H., 2d N. Y., Hudson City, N. J.....May 17, 1871, 2d New York.
Pollock, W. A., Cedar Rapids, Vinton, Iowa.....November 17, 1858, 1st Illinois, A. R.
Pollock, W. C., Bloomington, New Berlin, Ill.....March, 1835, Shenango, A.
Porter, Byron, Conemaugh, Elderton, Pa.....August 21. 1850, Ohio, A.
Pressly, J. H., D.D., Lake, Erie, Pa.....August 20, 1845, Lake, A. R.
Price, J., Philadelphia, Frankford, Phila., Pa.....September 4, 1856, Philadelphia, A.
Pringle, J. V., Bloomington, Pana, Ill.....May 11, 1865, Mansfield.
Proctor, F. M., Mansfield, Mansfield, O.....November 9, 1858, Caledonia, A. R.
Proudfit, L., Des Moines, Corydon, Iowa.....October 18, 1869, Des Moines.
Proudfit, T. P., S. Illinois, Sparta, Ill..... ....July 14, 1863, Muskingum.
Purdy, J. L., Frankfort, Florence, Pa..... ....October 18, 1854, Clarion, A.

RAITT, G. P., Des Moines, Chariton, Iowa.....May, 1860, Delaware.
Ralston, S. S., D.D., Le Claire, Le Claire, Iowa. ...May, 1838, Tennessee, A. R., South.
Ralston, W. D., Le Claire, Scotch Grove, Iowa.....August 28, 1863, Le Claire.
Randles, Wm. N., Albany, West Charlton, N. Y.....May 4, 1864, Albany.
Rankin, A. R., Indiana, Milroy, Ind.....August 25, 1852, Northern Indiana.
Rawson, W. T., Detroit, Marlatt, Mich.....
Reed, S. B., Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....April 18, 1857, Allegheny, A.
Reed, W. G., Allegheny, Springdale, Pa.....March 28, 1854, Lawrence, A. R.
Reid, D. F., Minnesota, Ella, Wis.....November, 1841, Mansfield, A. R.
Reid, S.C., Butler, Irishtown, Pa.... .....October, 23, 1856, Muskingum, A.
Reid, W. H., Princeton, Bloomington, Ind.....May, 1860, Ohio, Ref. Pres.
Reid, W. J., Monongahela, 38 Federal St., Pittsb'gh, Pa. April 7, 1862, Monongahela.
Renwick, A., Garnett, Olathe, Kansas.....November 26, 1867, Wabash.
Reynolds, John A., Rock Island, Rock Island, Ill....
Richie, J. E., St. Louis, Pinckneyville, Ill.....July 14, 1868, St. Louis.
Richie, W. M., Bloomington, Paxton, Ill.....September 11, 1862, Frankfort.
Rippey, John, Caledonia, Cuylerville, N. Y.....August 6, 1856, Saratoga, A. R.
Robb, J. P., Boston, Providence, Rhode Island.....April 28, 1860, Boston.
Robb, W. A., Xenia, Jamestown, O.....April 23, 1863, Xenia.
Robertson, J. L., Lake, Plummer, Pa.....March, 22, 1867, Stamford.
Robertson, P. C., Caledonia, Buena Vista, N. Y.....July 23, 1847, New York, A. R.
Robertson, W., Detroit, Brockway, Mich.....March 26, 1861, Detroit.
Robinson, G.A.B., Monongahela, Temperanceville, Pa. July 29, 1869, Monongahela.
Robinson, W. J., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....December 6. 1859, Caledonia.
Rogers, James, Minnesota, Shakopee, Minn.....June 12, 1833, United Pres. of York, Canada.
Rogers, Robert, Albany, Van Vechten, N. Y.....May 31, 1871, Albany.
Ross, J. S., Keokuk, Birmingham, Iowa.....April 5, 1865, Keokuk.
Ross, M. L., Mansfield, Iberia, Ohio... .....May 4, 1869, 2d New York.

Ross, Randall, W. Missouri, Greenwood, Mo.....April 25, 1849, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Ross, Robert, Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.... .....November, 1849, Illinois, A. R.

Sands, J. S., Monongahela, 5 Marion St., Pittsburgh, Pa. April 21, 1868, Monongahela.
Sankey, J. P., Caledonia, Rochester, N. Y.....June 30, 1864, Caledonia.
Sawhill, James, Le Claire, Cascade, Iowa.....June 18, 1863, Le Claire.
Scott, J., D.D., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....September, 1843, Chartiers, A.
Scott, J. P., Detroit, 130 Wayne St., Detroit, Mich....December, 1854, Richland, A.
Scott, T. A., Cleveland.....November 2, 1869, Cleveland.
Scouller, J. B., Argyle, Newville, Pa .....November, 13, 1844, New York, A. R.
Scouller, J. Y., 1st Ohio, Fairhaven, O.....July 21, 1847, 1st Ohio, A. R.
Service, John, Vermont, Barnet Centre, Vermont....April 26, 1854, N. Cong'l. Asso. Belfast, Ireland.
Shankland, J. A., Wisconsin, Villisca, Iowa.....April 11, 1860, Chicago.
Sharp, J. P., Frankfort, New Scottsville, Pa..... ...September 27, 1870, Frankfort.
Shaw, W. P., Monongahela, Oakdale, Pa.....August 30, 1855, Chicago, R. P.
Shearer, J. S., Keokuk, Columbus City, Iowa.....October 13, 1858, Indiana, A.
Shortt, W. B., Argyle, Cambridge, N. Y.....December 13, 1853, Washington, A. R.
Simpson, T. R., Steubenville, Steubenville, O..... 1844, Philadelphia, A.
Slentz, J. R., Wheeling, Martin's Ferry, O.....November 2, 1848, Albany, A.
Small, E., Mercer, Mercer, Pa.....October, 1839, Shenango, A.
Small, Gilbert, Wabash, Idaville, Ind.....November 1, 1856, Miami, A.
Smeallie, A. M., Delaware, Kortright Center, N. Y..January 30, 1872, Delaware.
Smith, Alex., Sidney, Northwood, O.....April 11, 1866, Chicago.
Smith, J. D., Chicago, Hanover, Ill.....April 12, 1870, Chicago.
Smith, J. N., Garnett, Garnett, Kan.....December 2, 1851, Shenango, A.
Smith, R. H., Michigan, Holland, Mich.....June 28, 1846, Groning Classis, Holland.
Smith, P. Y., Boston, Wilkinsonville, Mass.....February 28, 1866, Boston.
Smith, William, Wisconsin, Jeddo, Wis .....August 25, 1841, Illinois, A.
Snodgrass, W. J., Mercer, West Middlesex, Pa.....August 24, 1869, Mercer.
Somers, W. C., Muskingum, Kimbolton, O.....May, 1853, Caledonia, A. R.
Speer, J. S., Westmoreland, Buena Vista, Pa.....September 3, 1867, Westmoreland.
Spencer, F. M., Kansas, Leavenworth, Kan.....September 29, 1871, Kansas.
Spencer, Wm. G., Princeton, Portland Mills, Ind.....April 26, 1865, Southern Indiana.
Steele, D., Bloomington, Rantoul, Ill..... .....
Steele, J. C., W. Missouri, Warrensburg, Mo.....Spring of 1838, 1st Ohio, A. R.
Steele, J. D., W. Missouri, Warrensburg, Mo..... 1856, Keokuk, A. R.
Stephenson, Robert, Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa.....
Stevenson, E. H., Philadelphia, Oxford, Pa.....November 4, 1852, Ohio, A.
Stevenson, J., Chartiers, Washington, Pa.....December 1, 1859, Wheeling.
Stevenson, W. R., Westmoreland, West Newton, Pa..September 19, 1871, Conemaugh.
Stewart, J., Chillicothe, Youngsville, O..... 1858, Le Claire, A. R.
Stewart, Robert, Delaware, Newburg, N. Y.....November 9, 1866, 1st Ohio.
Stewart, R. B., Nebraska, Rock Bluff, Neb.....November 1, 1871, Nebraska.
Stewart, S. J., 1st New York, 1424 W. 19th St., N. Y. April 17, 1872, 1st New York.
Story, A., Keokuk, Columbus City, Iowa.....July 12, 1847, Shenango, A.
Sturgeon, H., Beaver Valley, Darlington, Pa.....May 6, 1852, Richland, A.
Swift, E. P., Sealkote, North India.....

Taggart, J. C., Steubenville, East Liverpool, O.....June 30, 1869, Steubenville.
Taggart, R. B., Delaware..... .....September 2, 1869, Delaware.
Taggart, S., Chartiers, W. Middletown, Pa.....April 14, 1835, Monongahela, A. R.
Tate, J. T., Minnesota, Lake City, Minn.....September, 1853, Iowa, A.
Taylor, John, Minnesota, Redwood Falls, Minn.....June 12, 1872, Minnesota.
Taylor, J. E., Allegheny..... ...
Taylor, J. W., Xenia, Xenia, O..... June 14, 1865, Sidney.
Teas, John, 1st N. Y., Patterson, N. J.... .....May 7, 1872, 1st New York.
Tedford, J. H., Wabash, Tetersburg, Ind.....April 11, 1862, Mercer.
Telford, John C., Conemaugh, W. Lebanon, Pa.....January 1, 1850, Clarion, A.
Telford, M. S., Conemaugh, Stanton, Pa.....June 16, 1864, Conemaugh.
Thompson, D., Muskingum, Milnersville, O.....September 18, 1838, Chartiers, A.
Thompson, H. H., Sidney, Urbana, O.....September 9, 1847, Lake, A. R.
Thompson, Josiah, W. Missouri, Centre View, Mo....January 14, 1858, Chartiers, A.
Thompson, R. G., W. Missouri, Kingsville, Mo. ....August 14, 1845, Mansfield, A. R.
Thompson, S. F., Tennessee, Dickson, Tenn.....August 7, 1855, Boston, A. R.
Thorn, D. M., Allegheny, Emsworth, Pa.....October 14, 1868, Conemaugh.
Timmons, J. H., Allegheny, Tarentum, Pa.....June 13, 1860, Allegheny.
Todd, Daniel, Le Claire, Volga City, Iowa.....May, 1863, Chicago.
Todd, John, S. Illinois, Preston, Ill.....September, 1842, Allegheny, A.
Tompkins, G. T., Keokuk, Grandview, Iowa.....June 14, 1871, Rock Island.
Torrence, G. W., Le Claire, Andrew, Iowa.....June 16, 1858, Kansas, A. R.
Torrence, J. T., Cedar Rapids, Florence, Iowa.. ...September 13, 1859, Ohio, A.
Tris, A. C., 1st N. Y., 4th Ave. and 55th St., N. Y...Dec. 19, 1845, Classis of Zealand, Dutch Ref. Sec. Ch.
Turnbull, R., Des Moines.....November 13, 1867, Des Moines.
Turnbull, J. H., Cedar Rapids, Crystal, Iowa.....June 19, 1872, Cedar Rapids.
Turnbull, J. B., Rock Island, Aledo, Ill.....April 16, 1873, Rock Island.
Turner, T. E., Keokuk, Mt. Sterling, Iowa..... December 27, 1867, Keokuk.
Turner, J. D., Monongahela, Remington, Pa.....October 10, 1861, 1st Ohio.
Turner, W., Princeton, Bloomington, Pa.....June 16, 1836, Indiana, A. R.

Ure, D. M., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill.....October 8, 1862, Argyle.

Vance, J. A., Wisconsin, Sussex, Wisconsin..... ...
Van Eaton J., Caledonia, York, New York.....October 3, 1849, Caledonia, A. R.
Vincent, G. C., D.D., Brookville, Brookville, Pa.....November 23, 1841, Illinois, A.
Vincent, A. S., Keokuk, Brighton, Iowa.... .....April 18, 1872, Keokuk.

Waddle, B., D.D., Sidney, Kenton, O.....May, 1829, 2d Ohio, A. R.
Waddle, J. B., Chartiers, Midway, Pa..... .....September 15, 1863, Lake.
Waddle, J. M., Monmouth, Young America, Ill .....
Waddle, W. G., Wheeling, New Athens, Ohio . ....November 16, 850, Wheeling.

Wade, N. E., Nebraska, Red Oak, Iowa.....May 7, 1866, 1st Ohio.
Wait, J. W., Tennessee, Lincoln, Tenn.....
Wallace, A. G., Beaver Valley, New Brighton, Pa.....June 6, 1854, Blairsville, A. R.
Wallace, D.A., D.D., LL.D., Monmouth, Mon'th, Ill. June 3, 1851, New York, A. R.
Wallace, Henry, Keokuk, Morning Sun, Iowa.....,
Wallace, H. F., Des Moines, Knoxville, Iowa.....June 12, 1872, Des Moines.
Wallace, James, Sidney, Bellefontaine, O..... 1832, Miami, A.
Wallace, John, Rock Island, Monmouth, Ill.....
Wallace, J. M., Cleveland, Youngstown, O.....September 29, 1868, Rock Island.
Wallace, Jos. R., Lake, Jamestown, Pa.....June 14, 1871, Lake.
Wallace, R. G., Wisconsin, Johnstown Centre, Wis...June 6, 1861, Delaware.
Wallace, W. L., Big Spring, Newville, Pa.....June 13, 1861, Big Spring.
Watson, Andrew, Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.....May 15, 1861, Allegheny.
Webster, C., Big Spring, Mercersburg, Pa.....November 2, 1837, Philadelphia, A.
Weed, S. H., Rock Island, Colona, Ill.....October 23, 1867, Rock Island.
Weede, N. C., *In trans*, Birmingham, Iowa.....November 13, 1833, Monongahela, A. R.
Weir, John, Detroit, Royal Oak, Mich.....May, 1869, Stamford.
Weir, William, Chartiers, Canonsburg, Pa.....June 19, 1866, Allegheny.
White, James, Muskingum, Mt. Perry, O.....April 16, 1862, Muskingum.
White, I. N., Steubenville, Gavers, Ohio.....May 7, 1861, Argyle.
White, Samuel S., Phila., 4018 Market St., Phila., Pa. November 2, 1871, Philadelphia.
Whitham, J. D., Bloomington, Rankin, Ill.....October, 1841, Washington, P.
Whitla, J. L., Minnesota, Burbank, Minn.....August 12, 1862, Detroit.
Whitten, J. B., Beaver Valley, Pittsburgh, Pa.....October 25, 1854, Chartiers, A.
Wiley, George M., Argyle, West Hebron, N. Y.....October 12, 1863, Vermont.
Wilkin, Ralph E., Keokuk, Summitville, Iowa.....September 10, 1872, Keokuk.
Williams, M. B., Argyle, Cambridge, N. Y.....April, 1820, Northern. R. P.
Williamson, J. A., Albany, Johnstown, N. Y.....September 27, 1864, Albany.
Williamson, John, Sidney, Bellfontaine, O.....June 18, 1867, Sidney.
Williamson, R. D., Albany, Troy, N. Y.....May 5, 1859, Albany.
Williamson, W. C., Keokuk, Washington, Iowa.....April. 1869, W. Missouri.
Wilson, D. C., Nebraska, Clarinda, Iowa.....June 27, 1863, Conemaugh.
Wilson, Isaac A., Nebraska, North Bend, Neb.....July 5, 1866, Mansfield.
Wilson, J. A., Beaver Valley, Beaver, Pa.....September 17, 1872, Beaver Valley.
Wilson, J. B., Detroit, Almont, Mich.....October, 1855, Stamford, A.
Wilson, J. C., Philadelphia, 1637, Franklin St., Phila. April 13, 1869, Allegheny.
Wilson, J. T., Kansas, Saline, Kan.....January 2, 1861, Conemaugh.
Wilson, S., D.D., Xenia, Xenia, Ohio.....April 27, 1831, Miami, A.
Wilson, T. J., Oregon, Delta, W. T.....May 5, 1864, Michigan.
Wilson, Thomas, Steubenville, Annapolis, O.....September 16, 1835, Muskingum, A.
Winter, T. W., Lake, Adamsville, Pa.....September 10, 1857, Northern Illinois, A.
Wishart, Wm., D.D., Mansfield, Ontario, O.....September 2, 1847, Muskingum, A.
Witherspoon, J. W., Allegheny, Allegheny, Pa.....September 15, 1863, Frankfort.
Wood, J. V. A., W. Missouri, Greenwood, Mo.....
Worth, J., Oregon, Brownsville, Oregon.....June 18, 1830, 1st Ohio, A. R.
Wright, I. T., Allegheny, Bakerstown, Pa.....June 11, 1872, Allegheny.
Wright, J. P., W. Missouri, Mulberry, Mo.....May 4, 1850, Michigan, A. R.
Wright, Wellington, W. Missouri, Lee's Summit, Mo..October 19, 1859, Michigan.
Wyatt, R. C., Des Moines.....September 20, 1872, Des Moines.
Wylie, R. T., 2d N.Y., 202 4th St., Williamsburg, N.Y. May 28, 1872, 2d New York.

YOUNG, A., D.D., LL.D., Monmouth, Monmouth, Ill. June 23, 1842, Steubenville, A. R.
Young, A. I., Westmoreland, Turtle Creek, Pa.....June 15, 1869, Frankfort.
Young, R. G., Butler, Brownsdale, Pa.....September 5, Butler.
Yusef, Tadrus, Egypt, Nakhaleh, Egypt.....November 1, 1871, Egypt.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF LICENTIATES.

NAME.	PRESBYTERY.
A. S. Aiken	Beaver Valley.
J. T. Black	Butler.
D. H. Blair	Garnett.
M. B. Brownlee	Chartiers.
Joseph Buchanan	Steubenville.
Joseph Calhoun	Xenia.
M. S. Concord	1st New York.
W. J. Cooper	Beaver Valley.
James P. Cowan	Indiana.
J. S. Dice	Mercer.
J. E. Dodds	Butler.
S. G. Fitzgerald	Big Spring.
B. J. Forrester	Mcnongahela.
J. B. Galloway	Monmouth.
J. P. Gibson	Monongahela.
J. A. Greer	1st New York.
R. C. Hamilton	1st Ohio.
H. H. Houston	Mercer.
W. H. Humphrey	Xenia.
J. L. Hunter	Steubenville.
J. J. Imbrie	Garnett.
J. M. Imbrie	Nebraska.
Rankin J. Johnson	Muskingum.
Robert J. Jones	Albany.
W. P. Kane	Steubenville.
John R. May	Chartiers.
S. B. Moore	Southern Illinois.
S. W. Meek	Delaware.
John Morrow	Chartiers.
Clark L. McCracken	Delaware.
G. T. McClelland	Delaware.
W. H. McCreery	Westmoreland.
W. S. McConnell	Chartiers.
Donald McLachlin	Mercer.
Edward McKee	Delaware.
Thomas W. Monteith	Detroit.
A. M. Nichol	Rock Island.
John Pattison	Monmouth.
M. M. Pollock	Westmoreland.
D. E. Shaw	Westmoreland.
J. W. Stewart	Lake.
D. C. Stewart	Boston.
Wm. Stevenson	Monmouth.
J. W. Swaney	Frankfort.
A. P. Taggart	Frankfort.
J. W. Wait	Tennessee.
E. Westing	Monmouth.
J. C. White	1st New York.
W. H. Vincent—50	1st New York.

ALPHIBETICAL LIST OF CONGREGATIONS.

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NAME.	PRESBYTERY.
Adams,	Des Moines.
Adamsville,	Lake.
Ainsworth,	Keokuk.
Albany	Albany, Oct., 1800.
Albany,	Oregon, 1853.
Albia,	Des Moines.
Aledo,	Rock Island.
Alexandria,	Egypt, Aug. 26, 1868.
Alexandria,	Monmouth, May, 1871.
Allegheny	Westmorel'd, May 24, '73.
Allegheny, 1st	Allegheny, 1830.
Allegheny, 2d	Allegheny, 1834.
Allegheny, 3d	Allegheny.
Allegheny, 4th	Allegheny.
Allegheny, 5th	Allegheny, 1862.
Allegheny, 6th	Allegheny, 1848.
Allegheny, Central,	Allegheny, 1872.
Americus,	Garnett, Mar. 15, 1859.
Amity,	Mansfield, 1861.
Amity,	Nebraska, 1857.
Antrim,	Muskingum.
Andes,	Delaware, 1832.
Andrew,	Le Claire, 1854.
Apollo,	Westmoreland.
Argyle,	Argyle.
Argyle,	Minnesota, Jan. 21, '71.
Arkansas City,	Garnett, Mar. 2, 1873.
Ashupin,	Wisconsin.
Austin,	Detroit.
Baltimore,	Philadelphia, 1828.
Barlow,	Muskingum.
Barnet Centre,	Vermont, 1790.
Basco,	Monmouth.
Bazetta,	Cleveland.
Beaver,	Beaver Valley, 1853.
Beaver Falls,	Beaver Val., July 26, '69.
Beaver Run,	Brookville, 1842.
Beech Woods,	Brookville, Feb. 26, '70.
Bellaire,	Wheeling, Apr. 29, '72.
Belle Flower,	Bloomington, Oct. 21, '71.
Bellefontaine,	Sidney, 1832.
Belle Prairie,	Princeton, 1864.
Bellevue,	Allegheny, May 21, '72.
Belmont,	Wheeling.
Berea,	Garnett, Feb., 1858.
Beracha,	Conemaugh, 1830.
Berlin,	Bloomington, 1852.
Bethel,	Beaver Val., about 1800.
Bethel,	Bloomington, 1853.
Bethel,	Butler.
Bethel,	Conemaugh, 1800–'10.
Bethel,	Indiana.
Bethel,	Le Claire.
Bethel,	Mercer, 1839.
Bethel,	Southern Illinois, 1850.
Bethel,	Sidney.
Bethel,	W. Missouri, Mar. 28, 8
Bethel, Allegheny county.	Westmoreland, 1804.
Bethel, West. county	Westmoreland, 1784.
Bethesda,	Westmoreland, 1782.
Bethesaida,	Wabash, 1849.
Beulah,	Caledonia, Feb. 24, 1852.
Beulah,	Westmoreland.
Biggsville,	Monmouth, 186—
Big Creek,	Garnett, July, 1868.
Big Mound,	Keokuk.
Big Spring,	Big Spring.
Big Spring,	Tennessee, 1860.
Birmingham,	Keokuk.
Birmingham,	Monongahela.
Blairsville,	Conemaugh, about 1850.
Bloomfield,	Muskingum.
Bloomfield,	Steubenville, 1871.
Bloomington,	Princeton, 1833.
Boonsboro',	Cedar Rapids, 1853.
Boston, 1st,	Boston, 1846.
Bovina,	Delaware, 1809.
Braddock's Field,	Westmoreland, 1864.
Brighton,	Keokuk.
Broadalbin,	Albany, 1804.
Brockway,	Detroit.
Brooklyn, 1st,	2d New York.
Brooklyn, 2d,	2d New York.
Brookville,	Brookville, 1845.
Brownsdale,	Butler.
Brownsville,	Oregon.
Brownsville,	Wheeling.
Bruce,	Detroit, 1850.
Buchanan Hill,	Wheeling.
Buena Vista	Westmoreland, 1867.
Buffalo	Butler.
Buffalo	Caledonia, 1848.
Buffalo	Wisconsin.
Burgettstown	Frankfort.
Burlington	Delaware.
Butler	Butler.
Cabin Hill	Delaware.
Cadiz	Wheeling, 1809.
Cairo	Egypt, Feb. 15, 1863.
Calcutta	Steubenville.
Caledonia	Caledonia, Oct., 1810.
Caledonia	Indiana.
Caledonia	Michigan, 1843.
Caledonia	Minnesota.
Caledonia	Wheeling, 1843.
Caledonia	Wisconsin, Sep. 4, 1862.
California	Sidney.
Calipooia	Oregon, 1853.
Cambridge	Argyle.
Cambridge	Muskingum.
Camden	Wabash.
Campbell	Michigan, May 20, 1871.
Camp Creek	Chicago.
Camp Run	Beaver Valley, 1872.
Canonsburg	Chartiers.
Canonsburg	Sidney.
Carnahan Creek	Kansas.
Carmel	Indiana, 1812.
Carrolton	Steubenville.
Cascade	Le Claire, 1862.
Cass	Sidney.
Cass Centre	Nebraska.
Cassville	Wheeling, 1837.
Cæsar's Creek	Xenia, 1844.
Cedar	Des Moines, Dec. 9, 1866.
Cedar	Kansas, 1862.
Cedar Creek	Rock Island.
Cedar Rapids	Cedar Rapids, 1851.
Cedarville	Xenia, 1844.
Centerville	Des Moines.
Centralia	Southern Illinois.
Centre	Beaver Valley, 1820.
Centre	Chartiers, 1858.
Centre	Conemaugh, 1855.
Centre	Kansas, 1865.
Centreville	Butler.
Centreville	Des Moines.
Centreville	Michigan, 1838.
Chase City	Mansfield, July 25, 1872.
Chariton	Des Moines.
Chartiers	Chartiers.
Chartiers x Roads	Chartiers, 1810.
Cherokee	Garnett Aug. 7, 1871.
Cherry Fork	Chillicothe, 1796.
Cherry Run	Brookville, 1858.
Chetopa	Garnett, May 10, 1869.
Chiastin	Oregon.
Chicago	Chicago.
Christianville	Mansfield, 187-.
Cincinnati	1st Ohio.
Clarence	Le Claire, 1860.
Clarinda	Nebraska, 1864.
Clarkson	Beaver Valley
Clarksville	Mercer, 1840.
Clayton	Monmouth, 1845.
Clear Fork	Muskingum.
Cleveland	Cleveland, 1843.
Clifton	Xenia, 1860.

Clinton	Butler.
Clinton	Frankfort, 1797.
Clintonville	Butler.
Clyde	Detroit.
Cochranton	Lake.
Coila	Argyle.
Colona	Rock Island.
Columbus City	Keokuk.
Commerce	Detroit, 1845
Concord	Big Spring, about 1807.
Concord	Cedar Rapids.
Concord	Brookville, 1830.
Concord	Southern Illinois.
Conemaugh	Conemaugh, about 1818.
Connotton	Steubenville.
Corning	Des Moines.
Corvallis	Oregon, Feb. 14, 1871.
Corydon	Des Moines.
Cottonwood Falls	Garnett, May 25, 1872.
Coultersville	Southern Illinois, 1870.
Cove	Big Spring.
Covington	Caledonia, July 1, 1845.
Crawfordsville	Keokuk.
Crete	Conemaugh, about 1850.
Cross Creek	Frankfort.
Cuba	S. Illinois, Sep. 12, 1868.
Cuylerville	Caledonia, July 1, 1845.
Dalton	Mansfield.
Darlington	Beaver Valley.
Dayton	Brookville, 1833.
Dayton	1st Ohio, 1860.
Davenport	Delaware, Oct 30, 1868.
Davenport	Rock Island, 1854.
Davisville	Detroit.
Decatur	Chillicothe.
Deer Creek	Allegheny, 1802.
Deer Creek	Mercer, 1808.
De Kora	Wisconsin.
De Kalb	Mansfield, 1844.
Delaware	Nebraska.
Delta	Oregon, Aug. 10, 1871.
Des Moines	Des Moines.
Detroit	Detroit, May 8, 1853.
De Witt	Le Claire, 1850.
Dickson	Tennessee, Oct. 9, 1869.
Donegal	Westmoreland, 1803.
Drenthe	Michigan, 1850.
Duncannon	Big Spring.
East Brady	Butler, 1871.
Eastbrook	Mercer.
East Greenwich	Argyle, 1849.
East Liverpool	Steubenville, 1852–53.
East Palestine	Beaver Valley.
East Salem	Argyle, 1820.
East Springfield	Steubenville, Nov. 1867.
East Union	Allegheny, 1850.
East Union	Conemaugh.
East Union	Muskingum.
East Unity	Butler.
Ebenezer	Butler.
Eden	Princeton.
Eden Prairie	Minnesota.
Edgerton	Garnett, Sep. 10, 1869.
Egypt	Wheeling.
Elderton	Conemaugh, about 1853.
Elkhorn	Southern Illinois, 1868.
Ellison	Monmouth, 1859.
Ellisville	Monmouth.
Elmira	Monmouth, 1850.
El Paso	Garnett, Mar. 16, 1873.
Elvaston	Monmouth, 1858.
Elvira	Le Claire, 1853.
Emporia	Garnett, Sep. 10, 1869.
Erie	Lake, 1812.
Etna	Allegheny, Feb. 13, 1868.
Evansburg	Allegheny, 1835.
Evansburg	Lake, 1826.
Fairfax	Cedar Rapids, 1858.
Fairfield	Conemaugh. 1843–44.
Fairfield	Monmouth, 1840.
Fairfield	Westmoreland, 1803.
Fair Grove	Detroit.
Fairhaven	1st Ohio, 1833.
Fairview	Butler.
Fairview	Muskingum.
Fairview	W. Missouri, Nov. 17, '68.
Fall Creek	Chillicothe.
Fall River	Boston, 1846.
Fleming	Allegheny, Nov. 6, 1869.
Flora	S. Illinois, June 10, 1871.
Florence	Cedar Rapids.
Florida	Albany, about 1786.
Four Mile	Beaver Val., about 1820.
Fountain Green	Monmouth, 1859.
Frankfort	Frankfort, 1790.
Frankfort	Kansas, May, 1871.
Franklin	Lake, 1862.
Franklin	Wheeling.
Franklinville	Caledonia, June 25, 1867.
Fredericksburg	Mansfield, 1818.
Fremont	Detroit.
Freeport, 1st	Butler.
Freeport, 2d	Butler, 1849.
Galesburgh	Garnett, May 25, 1872.
Galt	Stamford, 1824.
Garnett	Garnett, 1859.
Geneva	Caledonia.
Georgetown	Lake, 1825.
Gettysburg	Big Spring, 1774.
Gilead	Sidney, 1855.
Glade Run	Allegheny.
Glade Run	Steubenville, 1818
Glendale	Minnesota.
Goodland	Detroit.
Goshen	Muskingum.
Graham's Church	New York.
Grand Prairie	Keokuk.
Grand River	W. Missouri, Dec. 17, '68.
Grandview	Keokuk.
Grant's Hill	Steubenville, 1866.
Grasshopper Falls	Kansas, 1866.
Greenville	Conemaugh.
Greenville	Lake.
Greensboro	Vermont.
Greensburg	Westmoreland, Sep. 19, '57
Greenwood	W Missouri, Mar. 17, '68.
Guinston	Big Spring, 1754.
Gujranwala	Sealkote.
Halsey	Oregon, 1854.
Hamilton	1st Ohio, 1817.
Harbor	Beaver Valley, 1852.
Harlansburg	Butler, 1854.
Harlem, 1st	2d New York, Apr. 28, '64.
Harmerville	Allegheny, 1838.
Harmony	Bloomington.
Harmony	Butler.
Hanover	Chicago.
Hanover	Frankfort.
Harrison	Keokuk.
Harrisville	Wheeling.
Harlansburg	Butler.
Hartford	Boston.
Hartstown	Lake, 1830.
Haysville	Mansfield, 1832.
Hebron	Argyle, 1792
Hebron	Michigan, 1839.
Hebron	Monongahela.
Henderson	Monmouth.
Hermon	Beaver Valley.
Highland	Le Claire.
High Ridge	Wheeling, 1824.
Hill Prairie	Southern Illinois.
Hoboken	1st N. York. Nov 29, '54.
Holden	W. Missouri, May 2, '68
Homestead	Rock Island, 1852.
Hookstown	Frankfort, 1846.
Hoopeston	Bloomington.
Hopewell	Big Spring.
Hopewell	2d New York.
Hopewell	Southern Illinois.
Hopewell	Tennessee, 1871.
Hopewell	1st Ohio.
Hopkinsville	1st Ohio, 1815.
Howard	Caledonia, 1826.
Howard City	Garnett.
Huntsville	Sidney, 1831.
Iberia	Mansfield, 1829.
Idaville	Wabash, 1843.
Indiana	Conemaugh, 1818
Indianapolis	Indiana
Indianola	Des Moines.
Jackson	Bloomington.
Jacksonville	Conemaugh, about 1845.

Jacksonville.....Garnett, July 30, 1870.
Jacktown.....Mansfield, 1872.
Jamestown.....Lake, 1845.
Jamestown.....Xenia, 1831.
Jefferson.....Brookville, about 1840.
Jefferson.....Des Moines.
Jefferson.....Monongahela, 1857.
Jefferson.....Steubenville.
Jersey City, 1st.....2d New York.
Jersey City, 2d.....1st N. York, May 5, 1871.
Johnstown.....Albany, about 1825.
Johnstown.....Conemaugh, Aug. 1871.
Jonathan's Creek.....Muskingum.
Jordan's Grove.....Southern Illinois, 1828.

Kalida.....Garnett, Oct. 21, 1870.
Kansas City.....W. Missouri, Mar. 12, '69,
Kenton.....Sidney, 1840.
Keokuk.....Keokuk.
Kesaqua.....Keokuk.
Kerr's Ridge.....Lake, 1852.
Kingsville.....W. Missouri, Nov. 8, '67.
King's Creek.....Frankfort.
Kinsman.....Lake.
Kittanning.....Butler, 1845.
Knoxville.....Steubenville.
Knoxville.....Des Moines.
Kortright.....Delaware.

Lacona.....Des Moines.
Lansingville.....Delaware.
Laporte.....Michigan, Jan. 1, 1840.
Latrobe.....Westmorel'd, May 29, '53.
Laurel Hill.....Westmoreland, 1791.
Lawrence.....Boston, 1868.
Lawrence.....Kansas, June 18, 1867.
Lawrenceburg.....Butler, 1837.
Leavenworth, 1st.....Kansas, 1858.
Leavenworth, 2d.....Kansas.
Lebanon.....Mercer, 1850.
Lebanon.....Muskingum.
Lebanon.....Steubenville, 1831.
Lebanon.....Tennessee, 1865.
Lebanon.....Wabash, Dec. 16, 1872.
Le Claire Prairie.....Le Claire, 1849.
Leesburg.....Mercer, 1859.
Lee's Summit.....W. Missouri. June 14, '67.
Leipsic.....Sidney, 1857.
Liberty.....Cleveland, 1805.
Liberty.....Keokuk.
Lisbon.....Albany, 1804.
Lisbon.....Wisconsin, 1847.
Little Muskingum.....Wheeling.
Little Wolf.....Wisconsin.
Little York.....Rock Island, 1863.
Living Lake.....Keokuk, April 15, 1868.
Littleton.....Cedar Rapids.
Logan's Ferry.....Westmoreland.
London.....Stamford.
Londonderry.....Muskingum.
Lower Chanceford.....Big Spring.
Lower Piney.....Conemaugh.
Low Point.....Bloomington.
Lumber City.....Brookville, 1866.
Lyndon.....Caledonia, Feb. 28, 1840.
Lyndon.....Garnett, May 1, 1872.

Macedon.....Sidney.
M'Keesport.....Westmorel'd, Oct. 10, '51.
Madison.....Indiana.
Madison.....Westmoreland, 1860.
Mahoning.....Beaver Val., about 1795.
Mahoning.....Conemaugh, 1867.
Mansfield.....Mansfield, 1819.
Mansfield.....Monongahela.
Marissa.....Southern Illinois, 1870.
Marlatt.....Detroit.
Marshalltown.....Cedar Rapids, Oct. 19, '67.
Martin.....Michigan, 1842.
Martinsburg.....Mansfield.
Martin's Ferry.....Wheeling, 1851.
Massie's Creek.....Xenia.
Mechanicsburg.....Conemaugh.
Mechanicstown.....Steubenville.
Mediapolis.....Keokuk.
Mercer, 1st.....Mercer.
Mercer, 2d.....Mercer, 1812.
Mercersburg.....Big Spring, ab. 1810.
Meredith.....Delaware, May 26, '70.
Mexico.....Big Spring.

Middleton.....Keokuk.
Mifflin.....Monongahela.
Millersburg.....Mansfield.
Milton.....Stamford, 1824.
Milroy.....Indiana.
Monmouth, 1st.....Monmouth.
" 2d..... " 1863.
" 3d..... " 1867.
" 4th..... " 1865.
Monroe.....Des Moines.
Monroe.....Mansfield, 1825.
Monument Grove.....Kansas.
Morea.....Princeton, 1859
Moteah.....Egypt, 1871.
Morning Sun.....Keokuk.
Morning Sun.....1st Ohio, 1820.
Mt. Ayr.....Des Moines.
Mt. Chesnut.....Butler, 1857.
Mt. Gilead.....Monongahela, 1843.
Mt. Hermon.....Muskingum.
Mt. Hope.....Chartiers, 1800.
Mt. Jackson.....Beaver Valley, 1820.
Mt. Joy.....Chilicothe.
Mt. Nebo.....Allegheny, 1841.
Mt. Pelier.....Des Moines.
Mt. Pleasant.....Allegheny.
Mt. Pleasant.....Chartiers.
Mt. Pleasant.....1st Ohio.
Mt. Pleasant.....Westmoreland, 1802.
Mt. Pleasant.....Wabash.
Mt. Prospect.....Chartiers, 1860.
Mt. Sterling.....Keokuk.
Mt. Varnum.....Butler.
Mt. Vernon.....Mansfield, 1843.
Mountville.....Beaver Valley, ab. 1809.
Mud Creek.....S. Illinois. June 1, '71.
Muddy Run.....Philadelphia, 1742.
Mumford.....Caledonia, May 13, '69.
Murray.....Wabash, 1846.

Nails Creek.....Tennessee.
Nakhaleh.....Egypt, 1871.
Nashville.....Tennessee.
Neshanock.....Beaver Valley, 1868.
Newark.....2d New York.
Newburg.....1st N. York, Nov. 9, '59.
Newton.....Des Moines, Dec. 3, '70.
New Alexandria.....West'reland, Aug. 19, 1805.
New Athens.....Wheeling.
New Bethel.....Keokuk, May, 1869.
New Bethlehem.....Frankfort, 1864.
New Brenton.....Bloomington, May 14, '67.
New Brighton.....Beaver Valley, ab. '20.
New Castle.....Beaver Valley, Dec. '49.
New Concord.....Muskingum.
New Kingston.....Delaware, 1853.
New Lisbon.....Cleveland, 1839.
New Market.....Steubenville.
New Plymouth.....Muskingum.
New Salem.....Muskingum.
New Vernon.....Lake, 1853.
New Wilmington, 1st.....Mercer, 1809.
New Wilmington, 2d.....Mercer.
New York, Charles st.....2d New York.
New York, 7th Ave.....1st New York.
New York, E. 11th St....1st New York.
New York, W. 25th St...1st New York, 1850.
New York, Jane St.....2d New York.
New York, W. 44th St...2d New York.
New York, 127th St.....1st New York.
Noblestown.....Monongahela, 1792.
North Church.....Philadelphia, 1867.
Northfield.....Cleveland, 1834.
Northwood.....Sidney, 1859.
North Argyle.....Argyle, 1830.
North Bend.....Nebraska, 1861.
North Branch.....Des Moines, June 5, 1869.
North Buffalo.....Chartiers, 1778.
North English.....Des Moines.
North Henderson.....Rock Island, 1842.
North Kortright.....Delaware.
North Page.....Nebraska, April 3, 1870.
North Shenango.....Lake, 1849.
Norwich.....Muskingum.

Oak Grove.....Mansfield.
Oak Hill.....Minnesota, Feb. 3, 1872.
Oakland.....Beaver Val., Aug. 19, '70.
Oakland.....Conemaugh.
Octoraro.....Philadelphia, 1754.

Ohio.....Frankfort, 1820.
Oil City.....Lake, 1863.
Olathe.....Garnett, Nov. 10, 1866.
Olena.....Monmouth.
Olivet.....Conemaugh, 1840.
Omaha.....Nebraska, January, 1868.
Ontario.....Mansfield, 1849.
Orangeville.....Michigan. 1843.
Osceola.....W. Missouri, Nov. 24, '70.
Oshkosh.....Wisconsin.
Oskaloosa.....Des Moines.
Osioot.....Egypt, 1870.
Ottawa.....Garnett, July 20, 1867.
Oxford.....1st Ohio, 1837.
Oxford.....Philadelphia, 1754.

Page City.....Nebraska.
Palmetto.....Tennessee, 1865.
Palo Alto.....Des Moines.
Pana.....Bloomington, 1865.
Patterson.....1st New York, 1856.
Paris .....Detroit.
Paris .....Frankfort.
Pawnee City.....Nebraska, May 6, 1867.
Paxton.....Bloomington. Oct. 1859.
Pepin .....Minnesota, Nov. 16, '67.
Peru.....Des Moines, Oct. 25, '70.
Peter's Creek.....Chartiers.
Philadelphia, 1st.....Philadelphia, 1796.
Philadelphia, 2d .....Philadelphia, 1831.
Philadelphia, 3d.....Philadelphia, 1837.
Philadelphia, 4th.....Philadelphia, 1844.
Philadelphia, 5th.....Philadelphia.
Philadelphia, 6th.....Philadelphia, 1850.
Philadelphia, 7th.....Philadelphia, 1855.
Philadelphia, 8th.....Philadelphia, 1796.
Philada., 9th.....Philadelphia, 1860.
Philada., 10th.....Philadelphia, 1863.
Phila., North,.....Philadelphia, 1867.
Pigeon Creek,.....Chartiers, 1817.
Piney,.....Brookville.
Piney Fork,.....Steubenville, 1800.
Piqua,.....Sidney, 1815.
Pistol Creek,.....Tennessee, 1866.
Pittsburgh,.....Wabash.
Pittsburgh, 1st.....Monongahela, 1800.
Pittsburgh, 2d.....Monongahela,
Pittsburgh, 3d.....Monongahela, 1836.
Pittsburgh, 4th.....Monongahela.
Pittsburgh, 5th.....Monongahela, 1859.
Pittsburgh, 6th.....Monongahela, 1855.
Pittsburgh, 7th.....Monongahela, 1860.
Pittsburgh, 8th.....Monongahela, June, '68.
Pittsburgh, 9th.....Monongahela.
Pittsburgh, 10th.....Monongahela, Apr. '72.
Plain Grove,.....Mercer, 1856.
Plasant Grove,.....Des Moines.
Pleasant Hill,.....Muskingum.
Pleasant Ridge,.....Des Moines.
Pleasant Hill,.....Wheeling.
Pleasant Valley.....Rock Island.
Pleasant Valley.....Keokuk.
Pleasant Unity.....Wabash, 1859.
Plum Creek .....Conemaugh.
Plummer.....Lake, Mar. 18, 1870.
Plymouth.....Garnett, July 31, 1869.
Poland.....Beaver Valley, 1804.
Portersville.....Butler.
Portland.....Princeton, 1859.
Port Huron.....Detroit, 1868.
Port Robinson.....Stamford, 1850.
Power.....Lake.
Pratt Creek.....Cedar Rapids, 1865.
Pressly.....Le Claire, May 9, '68.
Princeton.....Garnett, Oct. 8, 1872.
Princeton, 1st.....Princeton, 1835.
Princeton, 2d.....Princeton, 1816.
Promise City.....Des Moines.
Prospect.....Butler, 1835.
Prosperity.....S. Illinois, 1867.
Providence.....Boston, 1847.
Providence.....Wabash, 1834.
Puckety.....Westmoreland, 1810.
Putnam.....Argyle.
Putnam.....Le Claire, 1868.

Quasqueton.....Cedar Rapids, Oct 8, '70

Raccoon.....Frankfort, 1823.
Red House.....Detroit.
Red Oak.....Nebraska, Nov. 1, '71.
Reesville.....Xenia.
Rehoboth.....Beaver Valley, 1843.
Remington.....Beaver Val. Aug 29, '70.
Reynoldsburg.....Xenia, 1817.
Reynoldsville.....Brookville.
Rich Hill.....Butler.
Richland.....Garnett, Aug. 1863.
Richland.....Indiana.
Richmond.....1st. Ohio.
Richmond.....Steubenville, 1835.
Robinson.....Frankfort.
Robinson's Run.....Monongahela, ab. 1790.
Rochester.....Caledonia, 1848.
Rock Bluff.....Nebraska, 1860.
Rock Creek.....Garnett, Apr. 20, 1871.
Rock Island.....Rock Island, 1854.
Rock Prairie.....Wisconsin.
Rock Run.....Chicago.
Rocky Spring.....Beaver Valley.
Romaine Prairie.....S. Illinois, 1870.
Rome.....Chillicothe, Aug. 1862.
Rome.....Minnesota Oct. 28, '71.
Roney's Point.....Wheeling. 1871.
Roseville.....San Francisco.
Rubicon.....Wisconsin.
Rush Creek.....Muskingum.
Roundhead,.....Sidney.
Ryegate.....Vermont, 1790.

St. Charles.....Des Moines.
St. Clair.....Detroit.
St. Clair.....Monongahela, 1804.
St. Clairsville.....Wheeling, 1830.
St. Louis.....Southern Illinois, '40.
Salem .....Argyle, 1766.
Salem.....Minnesota, Apr. 1873.
Salem .....Southern Illinois.
Salem.....Wabash, 1837.
Salinas .....San Francisco, 1868.
Salineville .....Steubenville.
Saltsburg.....Westmorel'd, Sep. 27, '27
Salt Creek.....Muskingum.
Sandusky.....Keokuk.
Sandy.....Lake.
Sandy Lake.....Lake.
San Francisco,.....San Francisco, Jan. '66.
Savannah.....Mansfield, 1855.
Sciota .....Chillicothe.
Scotch Grove,.....Le Claire, 1856.
Scotch Hill.....Butler, 1837.
Scotch Ridge.....Sidney, 1842.
Scotch Valley.....Nebraska.
Scotland.....Princeton, 1847.
Scroggsfield.....Steubenville, 1818.
Service .....Des Moines.
Service .....Frankfort.
Sewickley.....Allegheny, 1864.
Sewickley.....Westmoreland, 1806.
Shannon.....Chicago.
Sharon.....Mercer.
Sharon.....Muskingum.
Sharon.....Wabash.
Shelocta .....Conemaugh, ab. 1853.
Shenango.....Lake, 1801.
Shenango.....Mercer, 1810.
Sheridan .....Detroit.
Shiloh.....Butler.
Shiloh.....Indiana.
Sidney.....Sidney, 1829.
Slippery Rock.....Butler.
Sloan's.....Steubenville, Mar. 12, '70.
Smith Creek.....Monmouth.
Smyrna.....Conemaugh, ab. 1845.
Somonauk.....Chicago.
Sonoris.....Egypt, Mar. 25, 1873.
Smithfield.....Detroit, 1848.
South Argyle.....Argyle, 1785.
South Buffalo.....Chartiers, 1811.
South English.....Des Moines, Nov 13, '69.
Southfield.....Detroit.
S. Henderson.....Monmouth, 1835.
South Prairie.....Bloomington.
Sparta.....South Illinois, 1836.
Spring Creek.....Bloomington.
Springfield.....Butler. 1810.
Springfield.....S. Illinois, 1812.
Springfield .....Xenia.

Spring Hill.....Indiana.
Spring Lake.....Sidney.
Spring Grove.....Monmouth.
Stamford.....Delaware.
Stamford.....Stamford, 1785.
Stanton River.....Mansfield, 1872.
Stanwood.....Le Claire, 1868.
Sterling.....Caledonia, 1820.
Steubenville.....Steubenville, 1810.
Stewart's Station.....Westmoreland, Jan 5, '69
Stone Valley.....Big Spring, 1801.
Stow.....Cleveland, 1834.
Sugar Branch.....Bloomington.
Sugar Creek.....Xenia.
Sugar Run.....Sidney, 1841.
Summerville.....Princeton.
Summersett.....Des Moines.
Summit.....Monmouth, Feb '72.
Summitville.....Keokuk.
Sunbeam.....Rock Island, 1852.
Sunbury.....Butler.
Sunday Creek.....Muskingum.
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY, First Church, Monmouth, Wednesday, May 27, 1873, 7.30, P. M.

Synods.	*Place and Time of Meeting.*	*Stated Clerks.*
New York	Boston, Mass., Wed'y Sep. 24, 1873, 7.30 P. M.	J. B. Dales. D. D.
Pittsburgh	Newville, Pa., Tuesday, October 21, 1873	Rev. W. J. Reid.
First Synod	5th Church, Allegheny, Pa., Tuesday, Sep. 30, 1873, 7.30 P. M.	J. H. Pressly, D. D.
Ohio	Steubenville, Ohio, Thursday, Oct. 16, 1873	R. H. Pollock, D. D.
Second Synod	2d Church, Princeton, Ind., Friday Oct., '73.	Rev. G. Small.
Illinois	1st Church, Monmouth, Illinois, Friday, September 26, 1873, 10 A. M.	Rev. W. T. Moffet,
Iowa	Amity, Iowa, Tuesday 9, 1973	Rev. S. C. Marshall.
Kansas	Lawrence, Kan, Tues. Sep. 30, 1873, 7½ P. M.	Rev. J. T. Wilson.

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A. G. W.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF FREEDMEN'S MISSIONS.

To the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church, to meet at Philadelphia, May 28th, 1873, the Board of Missions to the Freedmen, respectfully report:—

The schools, under the care of this Board, closed June 10th, 1872, and all the teachers returned to their homes. According to the direction of the last Assembly, the efforts of the Board during this year were directed to the closing up of its business, which has been done, except one item, viz.: a note for $800 given by the "Shilo" Presbyterian Congregation of Knoxville, Tennessee, in payment for property purchased from the Board in the year 1869, remains unpaid, but is in the hands of an attorney for collection.

The property in possession of this Board has been disposed of as follows:

Leavenworth.—The Church property in Leavenworth, Kansas, has been transferred, by clear title, to the Board of Church Extension.

Nashville.—Property No. 1, Nashville, is owned by a stock company, and was by them leased to the Board for a term of years. The time of the lease expired April 1st, 1872. The property is now held by the stock company, its legal owners.

Property No. 2, Nashville, was sold in July, 1872, for $600, and payment received as follows: Cash, $315.15; two notes, payable in six and twelve months respectively, for $125 each, at 6 per cent., and a receipt for agent's fees for $34.50.

Vicksburg.—Shortly after closing the schools in Vicksburg, our property being tenantless, we were notified by our agent, Benjamin A. Lee, Esq., that it was being wasted, and was rapidly depreciating in value, and advised some disposition of it to be made as soon as possible. The Board of Church Extension was notified, and a tender of the property made; but this Board directed our Board to sell the property, agreeing to retain as much of the proceeds of the sale as would provide a suitable house of worship for the Congregation in Vicksburg, when applied for by the Presbytery of Tennessee. Accordingly, on October 10th, 1872, the property was sold for the sum of $5,500, and payment received as follows: Cash, $2,750; two notes, payable in one and two years respectively, for $1,375 each, bearing interest at 8 per cent., secured by bond and mortgage on the property. Personal property was sold for $147. out of which amount the agent's fee ($82) was paid. The balance, with the cash payment, was transferred to the Board of Church Extension.

Three hundred dollars, the proceeds of sale of personal property in Nashville, were transferred to the Board of Home Missions. There is still on hand two notes of $1,375 each, and cash $926.98.

The term of office of Revs. W. H. Andrews, T. H. Hanna, and J. W. Witherspoon, expires at this meeting.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAM J. REID, *President.*
J. W. WITHERSPOON, *Cor. Sec.*

Allegheny, Pa., May 26th, 1873.

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